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SPLIT LOOMS IN CLERGY

Heresy Stirs Up Episcopalians

Modernists Rally to Support of Obscure Texan and Plan Finish Fight

Dr. Parks Challenges Bishop to Bring Him to Trial for Same Statements

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—Out of a heretical sermon preached by an obscure rector in a tiny frame church in Forth Worth, Tex., last March and his forthcoming trial for heresy therefor have arisen an ecclesiastical storm that, reaching New York today, threatens to rock the Protestant Episcopal Church to its foundations.

In the teeth of the storm modernist leaders in New York, Boston and Philadelphia today announced the formation of a defense committee for the Forth Worth heretic, Rev. Lee W. Heaton, for the collection of a Heaton defense fund. More than $1000 was subscribed to the fund in five days after publicity.

Following the bishop coadjutor of Texas who summoned Mr. Heaton before him and saying that it is to be the last step toward cleansing the church of modernism," Dr. Stuart Parks, spokesman for the modernists, characterized the controversy as the most critical in the church's history with fundamentalists struggling to establish a precedent for a bitter war on liberals.

PREMATES AROUSED

Bishop William T. Manning of New York, and other high church bishops and clergy are likewise alive to the seriousness of this, the heresy trial in twenty years learned today. Bishop Manning said, is "doing everything in his power to avert the trial which is expected to take place early next month. It is not known, however, that the trial will be held because, apart from the bishop's announced intention to go through with the canonical law requires that the person once presented for trial must be heard.

Interest found another adherent in high place today when Bishop Dr. Leighton Parks joined Bishop Manning to speak out in favor of a trial for saying that "this poor, friendless, ignorant heretic, minister has been

[illegible] Parks who discarded his clerical vestments for the service in fashionable St. Bartholomew's Episcopal Church, indirectly attacked the fundamentalist position in preaching over modernist pulpits made by Bishop [illegible] of Massachusetts, Dr. [illegible] Bowie of Grace Church, New York, and himself to strike

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DAY'S NEWS SUMMED UP

WEATHER: Fair, gentle winds mostly, wind at 5 p.m., northerly, 3 miles. Thermometer highest, 80 deg.; lowest, 50 deg. Forecast: For Los Angeles and vicinity: For complete weather data see last page of this section.

ILLUSTRATED STORY. Daily installment of "Rabbit" will be found on Page 18, Part I.

Current Digest in Spanish of the important news events of the week will be found on the sixth page of this section.

LOS ANGELES HARBOR. Shipping news of the arrivals and departures of vessels in and out of Los Angeles Harbor will be found on Page 8, Part I.

REAL ESTATE. Record was set when 286 deeds were recorded. Page 1, Part II.

Building activity reported ready for today with calling for permits. Page 3, Part II.

Judge Bledsoe urged that the enactment of new laws all laws need repeal. Page 1, Part II.

Mercy said here of accidents of eleven families by the motor. Page 1, Part II.

Legislation asked to provide [illegible] be paid by groups [illegible] out of viaducts. Page 1, Part II.

$10,000,000 ordered [illegible] by telephone company. Page 1, Part II.

Income tax returns blanks [illegible] ready for use of salaried [illegible]. Page 3, Part II.

Safety institute to be [illegible] by five counties and [illegible] in Southland. Page 2, Part II.

Meeting with City [illegible] special dance committee this afternoon. Page [illegible]

Fire and several injured [illegible] accidents. Page [illegible]

Man kidnaped and [illegible] at Saticoy. Page [illegible]

MOVIE STORY. John McGlynn [illegible] to forget [illegible] at home and [illegible] be turned to [illegible] of new Mission [illegible] Page 14, Part I.

Two killed when [illegible] crash at Santa [illegible] Field. Page [illegible]

Former forest auto crash victim met accidental death. Page 14, Part II.

Ten men were drowned off the Oregon coast when lifeboat upset following wreck of ship on rocks. Page 1, Part I.

Prize contest for best poster to advertise Pasadena jubilee won by high-school girl. Page 14, Part I.

MEXICO. Mexican rebel forces on west front put to rout; battle reported near on east coast. Page 1, Part I.

GENERAL EASTERN. Secretary Mellon explained plans to reduce taxes of nation. Page 1, Part I.

Organization launched at New York for war against censorship. Page 1, Part I.

Modernists of Episcopal clergy in large cities of East rally to support of obscure Texan who is accused of heresy. Page 1, Part I.

Search of principal cities of nation and seaports of Cuba and continent for Leo Koretz was futile. Page 5, Part II.

Recognition of Russia declared remote in statement flaying reports following President's message. Page 4, Part II.

WASHINGTON. Los Angeles city government expenses compiled showed double as compared to 1918. Page 3, Part II.

Gov. Pinchot took up modified brewery examination ruling with Federal prohibition agent. Page 6, Part I.

FOREIGN. Lord Curzon's daughters rebelled and joined Labor party; scramble for titles by leaders foreseen. Page 1, Part 1.

War, not peace, seen by American observer as object of German parley overtures to France. Page 1, Part I.

Germans reopened negotiations with French on occupational costs. Page 1, Part I.

REMEMBER THIS
By H.M.STANSIFER

When a man tries to impress you with his honesty you had better keep your hand on your pocketbook.

SEES "HINDENBURG LINE" IN GERMAN OVERTURES

War, Not Peace, Is Declared by American Observer to be Object of Berlin Move

BY WYTHE WILLIAMS
[BY CABLE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]
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BRUSSELS, Dec. 16.—The Germans have retreated to the Hindenburg line. The foregoing sentence might have been lifted from the war communique of just six years ago, when after the battle of the Somme and the epic struggle at Daumont, the Germans gave up overnight a big slice of territory and fell back on the "stronger" line of positions selected by Hindenburg.

The lull that followed while new and greater offensives were preparing was very similar to the present calm that exists between the Allies and Germany.

SEES WAR CLOUDS

In adapting the figurative language of a war communique to the chronology of peace I hope more strikingly to present my conviction that despite good reports from the Ruhr and their echoes from Berlin the Germans in reality have only again withdrawn to the Hindenburg line while they prepare new surprises that may terminate a disastrous peace and definitely mark the new era of war. Not a cheerful Christmas story.

For the last few days I have traveled along the old battle front over that initial bit of what we once called the "reconquered land." I have passed through towns and villages that I saw for the first time from distant trenches and artillery observatories. I even looked at a few fragments of the old Hindenburg line itself—the line that I first sensed rather than visualized one winter morning when at the same time I escaped the shells that plowed the frozen fields.

Then I came on to Brussels in an endeavor to link up a few facts and ideas that came to me some time ago when I was traveling in Southern Germany.

NO CHRISTMAS STORY

The reader will note in the preamble to this dispatch that I am not intending to write in the spirit of Christmas tide.

Germany is now on her Hindenburg peace line, not that she may either gain or maintain the peace. She is there while she is preparing the powder and shells which she swears will win the next war.

In 1914 the war of movement ended and trench warfare began primarily because both sides ran short of ammunition. The battle of the Marne was a French victory that could not be exploited because of the scarcity of shells. The battle of the Marne was a German defeat for the same reason.

The recent German war thesis is that in the next war the first great battle shall be decisive and that it shall not cease on account of the scarcity of supplies.

WE SUPPLY MATERIALS

These war materials are now flowing to Germany from the United States and German gold marks are at this moment traveling to the United States to pay for the same.

I addressed the following ques-

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CHURCH TO PIERCE SKY IN GOTHAM

New Edifice Will Tower Over Tallest Buildings and Cost $4,000,000

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—The church pushed commerce aside today when Rev. Dr. Christian F. Reisner, pastor of the Chelsea Methodist Episcopal Church, Washington Heights, announced the completion of plans for the construction of a $4,000,000 skyscraper church, to be known as the Broadway Temple, and to occupy the entire block on Broadward, between One Hundred and Seventy-third and One Hundred and Seventy-fourth streets.

The temple when finished will tower above all other structures in the city, not even excepting the Woolworth Building, owing to the high ground on which it is to be situated. The top of the thirty-two-foot cross, standing on a twenty-four-story tower above the church auditorium, will mark the highest point of construction in the city.

The temple will represent the long-cherished dream of Dr. Reisner coming true, a structure combining an auditorium of 2000 seating capacity, a dormitory to accommodate 500 young men and two apartment buildings on the corner plots providing 492 rooms in two to five-room suites for residential purposes.

The whole will be a self-supporting and profit-making religious, social and community center in an imposing cluster of stone and marble. The architect, Donn Barber, who has to his credit the recent constructed Cotton Exchange Building, the State Library of Connecticut and numerous other important structures, predicts that the Broadway Temple will be his masterpiece.

BLAST IS FATAL TO OLD MAN

Dynamite Placed Under Bed of Blacksmith in Los Olivas

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

SANTA BARBARA, Dec. 16.—The small community of Los Olivas, about thirty miles from here, was thrown into a state of excitement this morning following a mysterious explosion that fatally injured J. McGuire, 75 years of age, blacksmith, in his small home. The blast occurred about 3 a.m. and the victim died late this afternoon.

Investigation by Sheriff Ross revealed the fact that the explosion was caused by dynamite which had evidently been placed under the old man's bed while he slept.

While several theories have been advanced by authorities as to the probable motive for the explosion, no arrests had been made at a late hour tonight and Sheriff Ross would not predict whether he expected early arrests.

McGuire figured in the news recently when Postmaster W. W. Jones of Los Olivas had him arrested about a month and a half ago on a complaint charging assault with intent to kill. It was asserted that McGuire threatened Jones with a pistol. At the hearing on the charge it was reduced to disturbing the peace and McGuire was sentenced to thirty days in jail. He was released from jail a few days ago.

While McGuire, the sole blacksmith in the village of about 500 persons, was in jail it is said another blacksmith shop was set up. McGuire, according to officers, protested against the invasion of a rival firm.

The dead man had been a resident in the small village for many years and is said to have a large number of friends there.

Plan Revival of Missouri River Transportation

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 16.—Revival of shipping on the Missouri River is planned by the Western Barge Line Company which has been formed to put a barge line on the Missouri to carry freight between St. Louis and Sioux City, Ia. This was learned yesterday from dispatches from Lincoln, Neb., where the Nebraska State Railroad Commission had granted the new company permission to sell $17,000 worth of stock in the State.

Capt. Thomas P. Craig, who declared that he had been a licensed pilot for fourteen years, is president of the company,

RUHR PEACE UNLIKELY

Agreement Held Hopeless

Stresemann Says Germany Helpless Before Stand Taken by France

Declares Nation Unarmed and That Paris Seeks Its Destruction

BY JOHN CLAYTON
[BY CABLE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]
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BERLIN, Dec. 16.—An agreement on negotiations with France over the Rhineland and Ruhr questions is hopeless, Foreign Minister Gustave Stresemann declared this evening.

Outlining the events of the last twenty-four hours before newspaper representatives, guests for tea at the Reichstag, the German Foreign Minister told his hearers that Premier Poincare's answer to the latest German note was a declaration that France could not consider the passive resistance finished so long as the Military Commission was not able to recommence its work. In face of this answer Herr Stresemann characterized the chances for a recommencement of operations in the Ruhr and the end of the state of war as very hazy.

FLAYS OCCUPATION

"I might tell you," said Herr Stresemann, "that a new demand has been received from Paris, that the passive resistance has not been stopped by Germany and that the Military Control Commission has not resumed work. I can only say that Germany's disarmament is so near completion that many small nations have a stronger military power than Germany and that all the disarmament clauses in the Versailles Treaty have been fulfilled."

Herr Stresemann indicated that the government was more than ready for the Control Commission to resume work, but that the government could not guarantee the safety of French and Belgian officers working in uniform. Herr Stresemann painted a black picture of present conditions in Germany. He flayed the French occupation as one not for reparations, but for destruction. Germany is not knowing its boundary, with its soul in the hands of the enemy, was no longer a state, he asserted.

SABOTAGE CHARGED

The Foreign Minister pictured Germany as already joined to an unproductive area, with its consuming power greatly reduced, which today spreads from the Rhine to the Urals.

He declared that intellectual stagnation threatens, with the destruction of the intellectual classes unless they receive help from the outside. Germany today is going rapidly toward a point where the nation will be crushed between the upper and nether millstones

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PLANS WAR ON CENSORSHIP

National Organization Started "to Protect Freedom of Art, Literature and Press"

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—A new organization designed to crush the principle of censorship, to be known as "the National Council to Protect the Freedom of Art, Literature and the Press," has been launched, it was announced today by George Creel, the chairman.

The Council is a reorganization of "The Joint Committee for the Promotion and Protection of Art and Literature," formed a year ago to oppose censorship of all kinds.

THE MEMBERSHIP

Membership at present is composed of the following:

Authors' League of America, Inc., Actors' Equity Association, Inc., American Dramatists, National Publishers' Association, Inc., Cinema Camera Club, Printing Trades Union, American Federation of Musicians, Motion Picture Producers and Distributors of America, Inc., New York Employing Printers' Association, Guild of Free Lance Artists, Motion Picture Directors' Association and the Screen Writers' Guild.

In outlining the policies of the Council, Mr. Creel said:

"It is not only proposed censorships that will be fought, but the repeal of existing censorship laws will be urged. It is the principle of censorship itself that we hope to crush, for the censoring of any one form of expression carries a threat of censorship for every other form of expression.

"STUPID AND FUTILE"

"Even were censorship less than lawless—less than an attack on the dearest rights of the citizens, less of a menace to enlightened public opinion—it stands condemned by reason of its unfailing stupidity and inevitable futility. All experience proves that it does not and cannot accomplish its avowed purposes, creating evils far worse than those it assumes to correct. It is an attack upon liberty, doubly dangerous because it is made in the name of morality.

"This is in no sense a movement in favor of license or a campaign for special privileges. At every point the National Council stands squarely in support of the law of the land. What we protest against —what we are formed to fight—are persistent and ill advised attempts to set aside this law in favor of the bigotries of personal prejudice and attacks upon liberty masked as attacks on license."

Did You Ever Look Into the Crater of a Volcano?

How would you like to stand on the brink of the world's greatest active volcano . . . watch the boiling cauldron below . . . feel the thrill and awe of this terrifying spectacle?

In order to give a true conception of this greatest of earth's phenomena, The Times sent its staff artist, Charles H. Owens, to the Hawaiian Islands—thousands of miles for a picture! His pictorial composition, reproduced in colors, appears as one of the new Hawaiian Island features in the forthcoming Annual Midwinter Number. The seven illustrated magazines which comprise this year's edition will go on sale January 1, 1924, wrapped for mailing, 15c for the complete set.

REBEL ROUT REPORTED

Obregon Soldiers Spring Trap

Evacuation of Puebla is Said to be Tactical Move of the Federals

President Directing Attack: Decisive Engagement is Expected Soon

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 16.—A trap has been sprung upon the De La Huerta forces which this morning entered Puebla, which was evacuated by the Federal troops last night. Directing an advance from Apizaco, where he arrived this afternoon, President Obregon launched an attack upon 1000 of the rebel troops. According to a War Department announcement, an engagement is expected soon and belief was expressed that success would result.

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 16.—Following news from the western front last night that President Obregon had left for the eastern front via the capital to direct a campaign against Gen. Sanchez in Vera Cruz comes word that the rebels have been routed in the Jalisco sector and are retreating toward Guadalajara.

This news would seem to indicate that the Federal plan to rout the rebels on the western front and then throw reinforcements of Federal troops into the eastern sector to crush Gen. Sanchez is working out.

HANDICAP SELVES

The dispatches from Federal headquarters at Yurecuara in the State of Michoacan say the insurrectos blew up bridges, destroyed railroads and highways as they withdrew. An advance movement by the rebels therefore would be handicapped by their own work. A comparatively small force of Federal troops could prevent the repairing of the railroads and bridges and hold the revolutionary forces in check until a decisive blow could be struck in Vera Cruz.

That this is Obregon's latest plan is indicated by dispatches last night, which said he left Iraquato, followed by long trains and lines of cavalry to be used in the eastern campaign.

There was no news today from the eastern sector. Reports last night say the contending armies probably will meet near Santa Lucrecia and that Gen. Sanchez is rushing reinforcements to the rebel commander in that vicinity, Gen. Gonzales.

It is thought here that this battle, which probably will be decisive, will take place early in the week or as soon as Obregon has deployed his troops. The Federal forces are thoroughly equipped in every detail.

OBREGON IN FIELD
BY JACK STARR-HUNT
[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]
MEXICO CITY, Dec. 16.—Pres-

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MELLON EXPLAINS TAX REDUCTION PROGRAM

Secretary Sends Complete Draft to House Committee for Consideration Tomorrow

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Secretary Mellon has reduced to definite form his tax-reduction proposals and forwarded a complete redraft of the revenue act to the House Ways and Means Committee for use in consideration of tax-revision legislation to be begun Tuesday:

The Treasury Secretary in a letter accompanying the redrafted measure, made public today at the Treasury, noted that the reduction program, "appears to have met with a most favorable public reception" and advised Acting Chairman Green of the committee that Treasury officials are prepared to present at any time arguments in support of the proposed revision.

In an analysis of the changes proposed, Mr. Mellon placed first the 25 per cent reduction on incomes below $4000 and the additional credit of 25 per cent to be granted on earned incomes, showing that in the case of earned incomes of $4000 or less the reduction contemplated really amounts to about 44 per cent.

Mr. Mellon's analysis of the changes proposed follows:

"(1.) Earned income, defined as wages, salaries and professional fees, is given a credit of 25 per cent of the amount of the tax attributable to the earned income.

"(2.) The normal tax on the first $4000 of net income is fixed at 3 per cent, and upon the remainder of the net income at 6 per cent.

"(3.) The surtax rates begin at 1 per cent on net incomes from $10,000 to $12,000; an additional 1 per cent for each $2000 of net income up to $36,000; then 1 per cent additional for the next $4000 of net income up to $40,000, and then 1 per cent additional for each $6000 of net income up to a total of 25 per cent at $100,000 and over.

CAPITAL DEFINED

"(4.) Capital assets are defined as property held by the taxpayer for profit or investment for more than two years. Upon the sale of capital assets the tax on the gain from the sale is limited to 12½ per cent of the gain, and the amount by which the tax is reduced on account of such a loss is limited to 12½ per cent of the loss.

"(5.) The taxpayer is permitted to take as a deduction from his gross income in determining his taxable income interest on indebtedness and losses of a nonbusiness character only to the extent that the sum of these two items exceeds his wholly tax-exempt interest.

"(6.) In community property States where the husband and wife have a joint interest in certain property of either acquired after marriage, the income from this property is taxed to the spouse having control of the property.

In the 1918 revenue act that liquidating dividends constitutes a sale of the stock instead of a distribution of earnings has been restored. This puts liquidating dividends within the capital gain section of the act and recognizes the real effect of such dividends.

"(8.) The section with reference to the reorganization of corporations has been re-written to eliminate existing uncertainties in the present act and to include other usual forms of corporate reorganization in aid of business, such as the splitting of one corporation into two or more corporations.

PREVENTS ESCAPE

"(9.) Provisions have been inserted to prevent the use of this reorganization section to escape proper taxation by increasing the basis for depreciation or depletion, or by increasing the basis of gain or loss from the sale of assets transferred in connection with reorganization, or by distributing as capital gain what are in effect dividends out of earnings.

"(10.) The deduction for discovery depletion is limited to 50 per cent of the net income from the property depleted.

"(11.) In the case of a trust where the trustee has the discretion to distribute or not, the income is taxed to the beneficiary if distributed and to the trustee if not distributed.

"(12.) Where the grantor of a trust reserves the right to change

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STEAL DEAD MAN'S URN AT FUNERAL

Armed Thieves Attack Cortege in Japan as Sequel to Slaying

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS]

TOKIO, Dec. 16.—Ashes of the body of Sakaye Osugi, a Socialist leader, were stolen from a room where the urn was lying in state just before the funeral, which was set for this afternoon.

Osugi and his wife and child were slain by Captain Amakasu of the gendarmerie shortly after the earthquake. The officer, who admitted the killing and said his motives were patriotic, was sentenced December 8 to ten years' imprisonment for the act.

The thieves succeeded in obtaining the ashes despite the presence of police in force and of numerous sympathizers. Socialists charge that the outrage was committed by their political opponents, who were seeking to prevent honor being done the dead man. The ashes were in the headquarters of an organization of sympathizers, and the procession was about to start for the cemetery. Mourners were admitted in groups. Three men entered, and one of them, with a pistol in his hand, rushed forward, seized the urn and began shooting. The urn was passed from one to another of the trio until they got in a motor car with it and sped away.

The funeral proceeded with a photograph of Osugi replacing his ashes.

BRYAN HAS CANDIDATE UP SLEEVE

Josephus Daniels Said to be Commoner's Pick for Nomination

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—The "dark horse" who is being groomed by William Jennings Bryan for the Democratic Presidential nomination is believed here to be ex-Secretary of the Navy Josephus Daniels. At least Mr. Daniels is the guest of several Southern Senators who argue that the former Secretary is about the only public man in the South who measures up to the Bryan standards, especially in the matter of prohibition. Of all the bone drys in America, none is more so than Mr. Daniels.

Besides, Daniels and the Commoner have been for years the closest of friends. Mr. Daniels's friends, however, are of the opinion that Mr. Daniels will not become a candidate even at the solicitation of his old friend, Mr. Bryan. The ex-Secretary is believed to favor the candidacy of William Gibbs McAdoo.

French "Tiger" Slightly Hurt in Auto Crash

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS]

ST. GERMAIN-EN-LAYE (France) Dec. 16.—Georges Clemenceau, France's War Premier, was hurt in an automobile accident while driving along the Nantes-Paris road. His face was cut by glass from the broken windshield. He was brought to a hospital here. The surgeons put in several stitches, after which the former Premier proceeded to his Paris home.

He apparently is little the worse for his mishap.

His chauffeur suffered more serious injuries and remained in the hospital at St. Germain.

Elopes With One of Hated Traffic Cops

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 16.—Miss Grace E. Berg, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Berg, has ended her feud with traffic policemen by marrying one. Announcement of her marriage at Elkton, Md., last Tuesday was made by her parents today.

The bridegroom is Joseph H. Nixon. Mrs. Nixon has had several encounters with the force. Ten days ago, when a tire was punctured, Nixon helped her put on another. The elopement followed. Mrs. Nixon's parents forgave the couple.

"I did not know the traffic cops could be so nice," said the bride.

TEN DIE IN SHIPWRECK

Others Believed Doomed

Lumber - Laden C. A. Smith Wrecked Off Oregon; Seven Rescued

Hope Abandoned for Those Who Refused to Leave the Steamer

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

MARSHFIELD (Or.) Dec. 16.—The steamer C. A. Smith, bound for Los Angeles with 1,500,000 feet of lumber, struck on the submerged rocks of the North Jetty at the entrance to Coos Bay Harbor this morning, and will be a total loss.

Eight or ten men of the crew were lost when a lifeboat was capsized as it was being lowered into the water.

Seven of the crew of twenty-four were taken off the vessel by Capt. Jensen of the Coast Guard, who reached the stranded craft in a lifeboat. Others of the crew refused to leave the vessel because of the high seas breaking, and tonight still were aboard the craft. Five men could be seen from shore clinging to the surf-torn steamer.

WATCHERS HELPLESS

The disaster to men who were in the boat which capsized could be seen by the watchers from the shore, but because of the rough seas nothing could be done to effect a rescue. The steamer's lifeboat capsized as it was being lowered from the side of the C. A. Smith, and the men were hurled into the boiling seas at the vessel's side.

A second attempt by the Coast Guard crew to reach the wrecked steamer, which lay half-buried in the huge combers which swept over it constantly, was ineffectual. Early this afternoon an attempt was made to shoot a line aboard the wrecked vessel from the steamer Cleone, but the line fell short.

As night fell, watchers on the shore virtually abandoned hope of saving the men aboard the Smith, as it was plainly seen that the vessel could not last long with the great seas pounding her.

SHIP SEEMS BROKEN

From shore it appeared that the vessel had broken amidships. Capt. T. Blomburg was among those still aboard tonight. He refused to leave the vessel when given a chance.

C. N. Prescott, aged 27 years, and first mate on the Port of Coos Bay tug Oregon, lost his life. The tug had gone out to give assistance. Prescott was swept overboard and picked up by the Coast Guard boat and then swept out of the lifeboat and drowned. Several of the Coast Guard and tug crew were injured.

THE RESCUED

The following are the names of the seven men who were rescued:

H. Bodahl, third mate; H. Fridge, fireman; E. Cavey, fireman; W. A. Shiels, cook; John Bertha, cabin boy; K. Kirchhoff, mess boy, and R. Claup, galley man.

The following are the other members of the crew of the C. A. Smith who were either lost or still aboard tonight: T. Bromburg, captain; M. A. Sundell, first mate; C. Ekland, second mate; A. Leland, wireless operator; T. Chalmers, chief engineer; E. Efford, first assistant engineer; N. Dramge, second assistant engineer; H. Fleming, oiler; R. McFarland, oiler; H. Andirien, oiler; A. Gransfell, oiler; A. Rajahn, seaman; Fred Bunbel, seaman; O. Nickolson, seaman; H. Hjarline, seaman; C. Sampson, seaman, and K. Dubert, seaman.

TWENTY-TWO LOST

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

NORFOLK (Va.) Dec. 16.—The loss of life in the foundering yesterday of the Norwegian steamer Runa, which went down off Frying Pan Shoals, was placed today by coast guard officials at twenty-two men after receipt of word from the cutter Modoc that a life-

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PEERESSES JOIN LABORITES

Daughters of Lord Curzon Revolt; Scramble for Titles Seen if Party Gets Lead

BY JOHN STEELE
[BY CABLE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]
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LONDON, Dec. 16.—Good Chicago money played an important part in the Labor victory at the recent elections. I learn that Lady Irene Curzon, daughter of Marquis Curzon and his first wife, who was Mary Leiter, subscribed heavily to the Labor Party war chest and worked for the Laborite victory, declaring openly that she hoped the election would result in the fall of the "doddering old legion" at the Foreign Office.

Lady Cynthia Mosely, also a daughter of Lord Curzon, whose husband is a member of Parliament, worked aginst the Conservative party and is reported to have said rude things about her distinguished father and his policy.

SEEK COURT POSTS

This openly reveals a fued between father and daughter which has been the subject of secret gossip for years. It is said to have arisen over the management of a fortune left the two girls by their mother.

The father wished to control the administration, but the daughters insisted on controlling their own money, and dealt in most "hard-boiled" fashion with their father.

Lady Irene is now one of the leading candidates for one of the higher court appointments under the Labor party. A number of these appointments are always made by the party in power, such as Queen's Mistress of Robes, Ladies of the Bed Chamber, etc., and there is keen competition among the Labor party women for honors.

PEERAGE SCRAMBLE

There is also an amusing situation over Labor peerages which, it is asserted, must be created in order to carry on the work of government in the House of Lords. The aspirants are gravely discussing whether they should be made earls or Viscounts or simply barons. The majority favor becoming Viscounts, because of their association in the past with the Lib-

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TAX BATTLE IS CERTAIN

Coolidge Backs Mellon Plan

Program Political Horse on Which He is Expected to Ride to Victory

Convention Issue to be Not Outcome but Figh Made to Aid People

BY ARTHUR SEARS HENNING
[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—The Mellon tax-reduction bill is the horse the Coolidge managers are relying on to carry the President to victory in the Republican national convention next June.

Accepting the Mellon proposals without the slightest qualification the President has made the plan his own and his political sponsors already feel his fortunes materially enhanced by the popularity of the cause he has embraced.

Tax reduction is popular, the most popular political proposal before the people. It has become a paramount issue, and is destined to influence profoundly the election of the next President of the United States. During the primary campaign it will be a prominent factor in the Republican contest for the nomination and afterward in the election it will be a bone of contention, particularly if it shall not have been disposed of by the enactment of legislation.

TO LEAD FIGHT

The President plans to lead an aggressive fight to put the Mellon plan through Congress. He is going to insist on early consideration of the bill by the House and through administration supporters will fight delay in the Senate. He will not hesitate to pillory those who show themselves disposed to "neglect it, to postpone it, to obstruct it by unsound proposals," to use the language of his message in which he pronounced such obstructionists "unworthy of public confidence and untrue to public trust."

Whatever the outcome of this battle in Congress, the President, in the opinion of his political backers, will loom forth a commanding figure by the time the convention meets. He will be either the man who forced the tax reduction through Congress or the protagonist, though checked for the time being, who refused to surrender to the radicals and political obstructionists in order to get through any kind of a bill. In the former event the nomination of the President, his friends believe, will be assured; in the latter event he will be the natural leader of the advocates of the Mellon plan and the logical candidate if the Republican convention indorses that proposal.

The Coolidge managers are not worrying over the effect of the President's opposition to the bonus for World War soldiers. They believe that his stand for tax reduction, for reduction of freight rates and agricultural relief will counteract any unpopularity resulting from his rejection of bonus legislation.

BOOST JOHNSON

Partisans of Senator Johnson, Republican, California, the President's only avowed opponent for the nomination, are confident their leader will gain more political capital out of the tax reduction issue than will Mr. Coolidge. They are sure he will strike a popular chord by advocating greater reductions of the taxes on small incomes than Mr. Coolidge. Just where he stands on the surtaxes they do not know, as he did not commit himself on this point in his Chicago speech. They calculate that Johnson, who is for the bonus, will carry many a State over Coolidge on that issue alone.

Opposition to the United States joining the World Court will carry Johnson far, his friends believe, and land him the nomination. In the Coolidge camp, however, the prediction is heard that the World Court will have ceased to be an issue by the time the convention meets, if it is not dead already. The President, it is said, will not make an aggressive fight to procure favorable Senate action on the World Court proposition, which, as he remarked in his message, "should not assume an artificial importance."

MAY BE DEAD

The prospect is that the World Court measure will be languishing in the Senate when the primary campaign is at its height, next spring, in which event it will be difficult for Mr. Johnson to stir up much excitement over the danger of its ratification.

There is every indication that the World Court is not going to embarrass candidates for the Republican nomination anywhere near as much as it will embarrass the framers of the party platform in the convention. There is a prospect of a battle between those Republicans who would take us into the World Court as it stands today and those Republicans who would not go in at all or at least until the Court be divorced from the League of Nations.

TAX-REDUCTION PLAN EXPLAINED

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the trust in favor of himself, the income of the trust is taxed to the grantor.

"(13.) The penalty under section 220 which seeks to penalize corporate forms used to avoid imposition of surtaxes on the stockholders, is now based on all the income of the corporation which would be taxed in the hands of an individual.

"(14.) The application of the present law requiring an income for a fractional part of a year to be placed on an annual basis is restricted to cases where a return is made for a part of a year as the result of the voluntary act of the tax payer in making a change in his taxable year.

BOARD CREATED

"(15.) A board of tax appeals is created to hear all appeals from the assessment of additional income and estate taxes, which will sit locally in the various judicial circuits throughout the country. The cases of both the government and the taxpayer are presented before the board which acts impartially and the practice there is similar to that before the Interstate Commerce Commission. Upon a decision in favor of the government, the additional tax can be assessed by the commissioner of internal revenue and the taxpayer is left to his remedy in the courts for a recovery of the tax. If the decision is in favor of the taxpayer, the commissioner may not assess the tax, but is left to his remedy in the courts in a suit to collect the additional tax. In a hearing in the courts, the findings of the board shall be taken as prima facie evidence of the facts contained therein.

"(16.) The administrative sections of the act have been re-written with a view to clarifying their provisions, making the statutes of limitations consistent, relieving the necessity for protest on the payment of taxes, and lightening the penalties for minor failures to comply with the act.

"(17.) The tax on telegrams, telephones, leased wires and radio is repealed.

"(18.) The tax on admissions is repealed."

RIVER RISES RAPIDLY

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 16.—The west fork of White River, near Washington, Ind., already overflowing the lowlands, was rising at the rate of an inch an hour early today. State road No. 5, between Washington and Vincennes, is inundated in many places.

PATENT OFFICE WILL AID JAPAN

Will Furnish Complete File of Official Gazette

Records Lost in Earthquake to be Replaced

Other Data on Subject Also Being Supplied

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Through arrangements with the Secretary of the Interior a complete set of the Official Gazettes of the Patent Office containing all patents issued by the United States government will be furnished to the Japanese.

Destruction of a magnificent new patent office, completed by the Japanese Government in January, 1923, by the earthquake with the loss of all the files of patents issued by foreign governments including the United States led to a request for a new set of records by the Japanese Ambassador at Washington.

The plans of the Japanese government provide for the construction and operation of a new patent office and in order that it may function properly it is necessary to have copies of the patents and other publications issued by the various foreign governments. Mr. Sadamasa Toki, secretary of the Department of Agriculture at Tokio, called on the Patent Office yesterday and copies of laws, rules and regulations have already been furnished him. Arrangements are being made by the United States Patent Office to furnish the Japanese government for the use of its patent office a complete set of the Official Gazette of the United States Patent Office, which has been issued weekly since 1872. An effort is also being made to furnish the Japanese Patent Office with copies of printed United States patents.

PARIS STRIKES AT AMERICAN CUSTOM

[BY CABLE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

PARIS, Dec. 1o.—An offensive against the encroaching American custom of wearing the dinner jacket, rather than the long-tailed coat, for all except the most formal occasions is under way here. The first salvo has been fired by the silk-hatted functionaries of the opera, who have issued a decree refusing admission on subscription nights to men not attired in full evening regalia.

To make the measure even more effective messieurs are not admitted on any evening to the "foyer de la danse," back of the scenes, unless they are in faultlessly correct formal evening attire. This is done to save the members of the ballet from forming the acquaintance of men vulgar enough to wear dinner clothes in the presence of ladies.

LONE BANDIT ROBS

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

MILWAUKEE, Dec. 16.—A lone bandit dressed as a laborer walked into the State Bank at Kimberly yesterday, asked the cashier to change a $5 bill, and then at the point of a revolver forced the cashier to hand over $500 in bills, and escaped in an automobile which waited for him outside.

REAL ESTATE MAN DIES

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 16.—Willard Merriam, 59 years of age, widely known real estate man of Kansas City, Kan., took suddenly ill at the Hotel Muehlbach yesterday and died in an ambulance on the way to a hospital. His home was at Rockaway Beach, Lake Toneycomo, Mo. Physicians said he had been drinking.

SEES WAR IN PEACE RETREAT

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tion to an international banker who must remain unknown: "Don't you regard it as suspicious that these people have put fantastic capital into foreign banks and for the last three years have taken only 3 or 4 per cent when in their own country they could have had 12 or 15 per cent? It is evident to me they are preparing for something."

He asked: "What capital, what people, what coup?"

"The Germans — the dozens of millions of gold marks — the revenge," I replied.

Then he became clearer in speech.

"The situation is plain to everyone here who is occupied with finance. The Germans primarily organized an evasion of capital to escape the payment of reparations. The entry into the Ruhr defeated this scheme because the French and the Belgians assured themselves of guarantees superior to the missing capital.

OCCUPATION CHANGED IT

"From the very day of the occupation of Essen they had not the least financial interest in exporting their money.

"Logically, they should have brought it back. But I shall give you some edifying figures relative to the shipment of German gold to the United States. For the first nine months of 1921, $2000; for the same period of 1922, $13,642; for the same period of the present year, $5,614,415, or more than 20,000 times as much as only two years ago.

"What is the object of these shipments of gold? The purchase of cotton and copper, which are the most important raw materials for the manufacture of powder and shells. This year Germany has bought one-eighth more cotton in the United States than has England. She has literally raided both the cotton and copper markets, and has taken options on huge supplies for future delivery.

BUYS THE BEST

"It is stipulated in all the contracts that all material supplied shall be of the first quality. It is to be remarked that today Hamburg is buying cotton superior to that supplied Manchester and at the same time there is an absolute dearth in the manufacture of cotton cloth in Germany. The precise reason has been Germany now is rapidly and thoroughly preparing against every emergency by which she might not win the next war. I do not insinuate, I affirm, that Germany intends the next war to be as short as possible and that after the first great battle she will be able to show such great reserves of munitions as will prevent other powers from intervening against her and will enable her to make peace on her own terms."

The following dialogue which occurred during a recent ride in Germany not only presents to my mind a correct impression of the present-day state of the German mind, but also unpleasantly recalls the sinister picture of the imperial Germany of bygone days. When every effort was directed toward "the day." The fellow traveler in my compartment addressed this question to a citizen of Stuttgart: "Why does one find no cotton goods in Germany when it appears you are now buying a great amount of cotton in the United States?"

Another traveler who had not before opened his lips interrupted. He was of the solemn professor type with the usual heavy eyeglasses. He said: "My dear sir, it is quite true that we are buyers of cotton, but, never mind what we are manufacturing."

The others did not insist.

We understood. As I have stated, this is not a Christmastide story, but merely a story for reflection while the Yule log brightly blazes.

PEACE IN RUHR HELD UNLIKELY

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of greedy capitalism and enraged proletarianism.

By his inference, Herr Stresemann accused France of sabotaging the proposed inquiry into Germany's capacity to pay.

Herr Stresemann began his speech by declaring that Germany was on the eve of startling events in foreign politics. The German Foreign Office archives will be opened for publication of the second series of events dealing with the time from Bismarck to the World War. He justified their publication on the ground that the whole truth of the events leading up to the war must be known and he appealed to the Allied governments to open their archives also that the mistakes in the past may be avoided in the future.

PARIS SENDS REPLY

By Henry Wales

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[BY CABLE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

PARIS, Dec. 16.—Premier Poincare gave his reply to Charge D'Affaires Von Hoesch at 8 o'clock tonight, answering Germany's request for discussions on the Ruhr and Rhineland. Although the official text of the reply has not been issued, it is stated by a high authority that France declares a willingness to meet Germany at the conference table, but stands pat upon Premier Poincare's traditional policy that nothing must weaken the supreme authority of the reparations commission. And as for the Ruhr occupation, France and Belgium will listen to what Germany has to offer.

The reply firmly eliminated the German proposal of one or more commissions to consider a way of restoring Germany to the administration of the Ruhr. France and Belgium believe that such a commission would be an inevitable trouble-maker and refuse to consider any action not conforming rigorously with the Versailles Treaty or tending toward a direct or indirect revision of the treaty.

France also has not changed its views regarding the Ruhr and Rhineland. It will not consent to weakening the powers of the Franco-Belgium authorities in the Ruhr nor of the Inter-Allied High Commission in other occupied territories. France is entirely disposed to listen to German suggestions for economic activities in the Ruhr and Rhineland. Premier Poincare declares that the Allied Military Commission has not been able to prevent fighting and therefore Germany cannot pretend loyalty to the Versailles Treaty.

Deceiving Looks

"But she looks so confiding."

"That's why she's so disappointing. When you get to know her you discover that she has nothing to confide."—[Boston Transcript.

CHILD LABOR ON FARM REVIEWED

Proposed Amendment to the Constitution Favored

Would Permit Regulation by Standards

States Hedge on Specific Hour Setting

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Adoption of the proposed child-labor movement amendment to the Constitution would make possible for the first time the application of Federal standards to rural child labor, through the inclusion in the next national child labor law of provisions fixing at least a minimum and maximum of hours of employment of children in the hard manual work of the farm, it is believed.

ISSUE SQUARED

Neither of the child labor laws passed by Congress and found unconstitutional by the Supreme Court dealt at any point with employers of children in agricultural work, which has been regulated, so far as it has been regulated at all, by the various States.

Many State laws, however, specifically exempt agricultural work from some, if not all, of the provisions. Four States name specific provisions regarding the employment of children in agricultural work. Neither includes work in the beet fields under the eight-hour and night-work provisions of its child labor laws, and Massachusetts and Pennsylvania require special permits to excuse children from school.

CALIFORNIA ACTS

While at least twenty States forbid the employment of children under 14 during school hours in "any gainful occupation," the tendency has been to ignore the application of these laws to farm work. California is the only State providing special schools for the children of migratory workers.

The result, predicted by the Children's Bureau after investigation conducted in different areas, declare that children from 6 to 14 are working in alarming numbers not only on home farms, but as hired laborers, dropping in consequence from one to six years behind their grades in school.

REPORT REBEL FORCE ROUTED

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ident Obregon, dressed in the khaki uniform of commander-in-chief of the army, departed today for [illegible] Vera Cruz sector to assume supreme command of the Federals' campaign to retake points from the rebels.

"I believe that by Christmas we will sleep quietly again," were Obregon's parting words to his supporters.

The presence of the President in the Vera Cruz district is expected to inject morale into the government troops. President Obregon's courage in taking active charge of the situation in spite of his delicate health was praised highly here, and is taken as an evidence of his untiring efforts to secure peace.

WEST IN CONTROL

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Advices received from Mexico City relative to the revolutionary movement were declared by the Mexican Embassy here tonight to indicate that "the situation throughout the republic remains unchanged."

"The western States of Sonora and Sinaloa remain within full government control," said a statement issued by the embassy. "Gov.-Gen. Angel Flores of Sinaloa has once more offered his firm adherence to the legal authorities. Tampico is also under the full control of the legal authorities as well as the rest of the State of Tamaulipas.

"Gen. Maycotte, who was reported as having gone over to the rebels with a portion of the Oaxaca garrison, has issued a manifesto disavowing De la Huerta's authority as chief of the rebellion and protesting against the action of the Co-operatista party. Gen. Maycotte's desertion has brought about a split among the reactionaries, who are now contending for the supremacy in their so-called government.

"The city of Puebla, reported as having been taken by the rebels, was evacuated by the government as a part of her military plans, but advance upon the city has already begun, and it is expected that very shortly it will be in the government's hands again, since the general attack for the suppression of the Vera Cruz rebellion is already under way.

"Large contingents of volunteers who have offered their assistance for the support of the legal authorities are being organized throughout the republic."

PELAEZ CAPTURED

Gen. Manuel Pelaez, prominent in Mexican revolutionary politics, has been taken captive by the Federal authorities at Tampico and has been removed to the Federal penitentiary at Mexico City, charged with treason. This was reported here yesterday from a reliable source. It previously had been reported that Pelaez had been executed near Tampico. He will be tried at the capital.

Gen. Pelaez left Los Angeles, his home for three years, about the time of the De la Huerta revolt at Vera Cruz. He went to Tampico by train from Laredo. It was his first time in Mexico since the overthrow of the Carranza government. In the Carranza regime Pelaez had been the dominant figure in the Tampico district, and the American and British oil companies had their official dealings with him. This was at a time when oil became a political issue, due to the nationalization legislation.

When Gen. Obregon assumed power, Pelaez removed to Los Angeles. He had had no difference with the Obregon government, however, and his political position since has been a mystery. He had given the impression that he forever had given up revolutionary politics, and that he would take no part in the coming political campaign. It, therefore, was a surprise when a few days ago it was learned that he had sold his fine home here and gone to the east coast. The report of his capture followed.

EPISCOPALIAN CLERGY AT ODDS

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at a clergyman in an out-of-the-way corner of the country.

FLAYS PERSECUTORS

Expressing the disbelief that Mr. Heaton would be tried Dr. Parks excoriated Right Rev. Harry T. Moore, coadjutor bishop of Dallas, for a remark attributed to him in an affidavit, that the Fort Worth rector would "stand the chance of a snowball in hell of being acquitted." That affidavit made by Dexter W. Scurlock, a lawyer and member of Mr. Heaton's parish, is in the hands of the Heaton defense committee.

Bishop Manning declined tonight to comment either on the heresy trial or on Dr. Parks's sermon.

Mr. Heaton departed tonight for his home with Rev. John D. Covert, his senior warden, after a ten-day visit to the East, consulting with modernist leaders in New York, Philadelphia and Boston. A slight, earnest young man, looking considerably younger than his 35 years, with a thatch of tow colored hair covering his head, he carried back with him the militant support of many of the most prominent churchmen in the East.

DR. GUTHRIE SPEAKS

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—Rev. William Norman Guthrie told the expectant cosmopolitan congregation that filled the Church of St. Mark's in the Bowery today that the symbolic festivals at his church in which parish girls gave Greek dances had been misunderstood.

He expalined his lipa were sealed in kisses controversy with Bishop William T. Manning of the Episcopal diocese of New York, about the services and said he could not discuss the conference they held last week.

Rebidating his ideas of the pagan dances, Dr. Guthrie blamed his situation as well as most evils of the day, upon general ignorance.

"Everything one says and does is so terribly misconstrued," he said.

The American mind, he added, tends to snap judgment and the age is one of general narrow-mindedness "gone mad with a love for war, petty controversy and restrictive legislation."

"Is a living illustration not more eloquent than a piece of statuary?" he asked. "Must something representing the life that such statuary is presumed to represent be independent on that account?"

He said nothing he had done had been without precedent as old as religion itself.

TEN PERISH ON OREGON COAST

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boat had been found with all of its occupants dead.

Only two lifeboats, officials said, were launched. One of these was picked up with its four survivors by the American tanker W. W. Mills, which also rescued a fifth man from the water. These men now are believed to have been the only ones saved out of a crew of twenty-seven.

The Modoc, which was rushed to the scene upon advices that the ship had gone down in the gale continued searching the vicinity today.

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CITY EXPENSES COMPILED

Commerce Department Estimates Per Capita Cost Has Doubled in Last Four Years

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—The Department of Commerce announces that the cost of government for the city of Los Angeles for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1922, amounted to $41,832,339, which was a per capita cost of $99.34. In 1918 the per capita cost was $44.07 and in 1915 $57.46, the totals for these years being $23,215,000 and $25,511,014, respectively.

The per capita costs for 1922 consisted of expenses of general departments, $37.14, expenses of public service enterprises $6.60; payments for interest, $4.56; and for outlays, $51.04. All public service enterprises shared largely in this outlay, notably the electric light system, on which over $14,000,000 was expended. Permanent improvements for schools amounted to over $7,000,000. Four million dollars for highways and $1,500,000 for sanitation are other outstanding items.

REVENUE HIGH

The total revenue receipts for 1922 were $49,671,583 or $79.31 per capita. The per capita excess of governmental costs over revenue receipts was therefore, $19.52. However, the revenue receipts exceeded costs for the ordinary operation and maintenance and payments for interest excluding outlays, by $31.52 per capita. This excess of per capita payments over revenue receipts is largely on account of permanent improvements, the costs of which were met by the issuance of debt obligations. Such obligations are not considered a source of revenue receipts.

Property taxes represented 56.8 per cent of the total revenue for 1922, 65.4 per cent for 1918, and 56 per cent for 1915. The increase in the amount of property taxes collected was 22.9 per cent from 1915 to 1918, and 68 per cent from 1918 to 1922. The per capita property taxes were $28.31 in 1922, $31.87 in 1918, and $18.97 in 1915.

INDEBTEDNESS UP

Earnings of public service enterprises operated by the city represented 15.6 per cent of the total revenue for 1922, 11.7 per cent for 1918 and 7.7 per cent for 1915.

Business and [illegible] licenses were 5 per cent of the total revenue for 1922, 4.1 per cent for 1918, and 6 per cent for 1915.

The net indebtedness [illegible] and floating debt less sinking fund assets, of Los Angeles was $[illegible] per capita for 1922, $92.67 in 1918, and $96.12 for 1915. Bonds were issued during the year for electric light plant bonds amounting to $13,500,000.

For 1922 the assessed valuation of property in Los Angeles subject to ad valorem taxation by the city corporation was $[illegible]. The levy for all purposes in 1922 was $30,366,996, this being $[illegible] per capita of: total $40.79; city corporation, $16.98; school districts $14.13 and county $[illegible].

RATIO FIXED

In all the data shown in this city the transactions of the [illegible] dependent school district are excluded.

The statistics for Los Angeles include a percentage of the [illegible] cial transactions of Los Angeles county, the percentage being based upon the ratio between the assessed valuation of the city and that of the entire county.

WILLIAM J. BURNS REPORTED IMPROVED

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 16.—William J. Burns, national director of the bureau of investigation of the Department of Justice, who has been ill for the past week with an attack of intestinal influenza, was reported improved today. Burns said yesterday the doctors assured him he would be able to leave his bed Tuesday.

BARON DE BROKE DEAD

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS]

LONDON, Dec. 16.—Baron Willoughby De Broke died today. Lord De Broke, born in 1869, was prominent several years ago in upholding the cause of Ulster when the Irish situation was acute. Lord De Broke wrote somewhat extensively on outdoor sports, particularly fox hunting.

PEERESSES JOIN LABORITE PARTY

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PROMINENT PASTOR DEAD

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

ROCHESTER, Dec. 16.—Rev. William Channing [illegible] D.D., prominent Unitarian minister, died at his home here tonight, aged 83 years.

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For Your Family

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HAWAIIAN LAN[illegible] IS RECLAIME

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Private Concern Planning Develop Good Port

Area Thought Worthless Yield Big Profit

BY W. D. HORNADAY
[BY CABLE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]
KAUMALAPAU (Island
Lanai, Dec. 16.—Plans have be[illegible] adopted for constructing a mod[illegible] deep-water port in this little [illegible] and which belongs to the H[illegible] ilian group. The improvement [illegible] to be a private enterprise but t[illegible] work will be done under the [illegible] tion of the United States a[illegible] perities. Maj. William A. Joh[illegible] son, United States district eng[illegible] neer for the Territory of Hawa[illegible] will be in charge of the project.

ISLAND SMALL

It is stated that the dredgi[illegible] of the harbor and the constructio[illegible] of docks here will cost more tha[illegible] $200,000. Besides this initial ou[illegible] lay a considerable sum will [illegible] spent for the installation of mod[illegible] ern loading and unloading facil[illegible] ities, warehouses and other im[illegible] provements, it is announced. Th[illegible] Hawaiian Contracting Company [illegible] now assembling machinery an[illegible] material for starting work here.

The island of Lanai is one o[illegible] the smallest of the Hawaiian group[illegible] The fact that the rainfall here i[illegible] comparatively light and that there [illegible] is no water available for irrigation [illegible] caused it to be unfit for sugar-cane [illegible] growing. The discovery that pine[illegible]apples are a dry weather fruit and [illegible] do not require irrigation led to ex[illegible]periments here in that industry, [illegible] and found that the climate and [illegible] soil of the island were ideally [illegible] adapted to growing pineapples.

This discovery led to the recent [illegible] purchase of the island by the Ha[illegible]

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PROMINENT PASTOR DIES

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

ROCHESTER, Dec. 16.—T Rev. William Channing Gannet D.D., prominent Unitarian min ter, died at his home here la night, aged 83 years.

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HAWAIIAN LAND IS RECLAIMED

Lanai Island Bought for Pineapple Growing

Private Concern Planning to Develop Good Port

Soon Thought Worthless to Yield Big Profit

BY W. D. BORNADAY

[BY CABLE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

KAUMALAPAU (Island of Lanai, Dec. 16.—Plans have been completed for constructing a modern deep-water port in this little island which belongs to the Hawaiian group. The improvement is to be a private enterprise but the work will be done under the direction of the United States authorities. Maj. William A. Johnson, United States district engineer for the Territory of Hawaii, will be in charge of the project.

ISLAND SMALL

It is stated that the dredging of the harbor and the construction of docks here will cost more than $1,000,000. Besides this initial outlay a considerable sum will be spent for the installation of modern loading and unloading facilities, warehouses and other improvements it is announced. The Hawaiian Contracting Company is now assembling machinery and equipment for starting work here.

The island of Lanai is one of the smallest of the Hawaiian group. In fact that the rainfall here is relatively light and that there is little water available for irrigation purposes it is said to be unfit for sugar-cane growing. The discovery that pineapples are a dry weather fruit and do not require irrigation led to extensive efforts here in that industry. It was found that the climate and soil of the island were ideally suited to growing pineapples.

The discovery led to the recent purchase of the island by the Hawaiian Pineapple Company, Ltd., of Honolulu, for a consideration of approximately $1,100,000. As soon as the harbor and port improvements are well under way the work of converting the raw land of the island into a pineapple plantation will be started, it is stated. The planted area will be gradually enlarged until not less than 15,000 acres are in cultivation.

TOWN TO GROW

It is expected that Kaumalapau, which is now a little beach fishing village, will grow rapidly into a town of considerable size and importance. The Hawaiian Pineapple Company, Ltd., will build modern cottages as homes for its several thousand laborers and will carry out an elaborate plan for the beautification of the isolated little ocean dot. Visions are held of trans-Pacific liners making the port a place of call and of many tourists coming here for rest and recreation.

The proposed intensive agricultural development of the island of Lanai is but another step in the remarkable progress which is being made in all of the islands of the Hawaiian group in bringing into productiveness areas of waste land which were heretofore considered worthless except perhaps for ranching purposes. It is only in the lower reaches and with an abundance of water available that sugar can be grown, it is pointed out, while pineapples are splendidly adapted to the higher levels of the foothills.

Along with its other improvements here the Hawaiian Pineapple Company, Ltd., will build a large canning factory.

INDICTED OIL STOCK SALESMAN ARRESTED

SUSPECT IN TEXAS CASE NABBED AS LINER IS ABOUT TO SAIL

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—Acting on information from the Federal authorities in Chicago, Postoffice Inspectors William A. Kenyon and George Smith boarded the Majestic as she was about to sail for Europe and arrested Louis Friedman, a stock salesman. He is under indictment at Fort Worth, Tex., accused of using the mails to sell fake oil stocks.

Friedman was charged with being a fugitive from justice and was arraigned before United States Commissioner Samuel H. Hitchcock. Asst. U. S. Atty. Garrett W. Cotter asked that Friedman be held in high bail.

After appeal by Friedman's counsel Commissioner Hitchcock held the stock salesman in $3000 bail for hearing on the 21st inst. According to the postal inspectors, Friedman, learning that the Federal grand jury at Fort Worth was investigating his operations, fled to Chicago and then to New York.

LATEST PLANE FLIES WITHOUT PROPELLER

[BY CABLE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

PARIS, Dec. 16.—An airplane capable of traveling at a speed of 360 miles an hour is said to have been invented by M. Melot, who has already constructed fast freak machines. The new type has no propeller, getting propulsion through suction, like a fish taking in water in its mouth and expelling it through the gills. Special gas burners operate through big long horns, creating partial vacuum.

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PLAN FOR FIGHT ON CARRIER ACT

State Rail Commissions in Pact to Attack

Rate-Making Clause Repeal Part of Program

Clear Definition of Other Powers Sought

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Preparations for attack on the Transportation Act at the present session of Congress are being made by the National Association of Railway and Utilities Commissioners, an organization of the State railway commissioners.

Restoration of powers taken from them, by the act and repeal of its rate-making provisions will be among the principal changes that will be sought.

The State commissioners will ask Congress to give them clearly defined authority to require railroads to make additions and betterments to their plants and facilities. Some courts have held that the Transportation Act divested the State commissions of powers over interstate carriers in such matters.

PROVISION UNJUST

The rate-making provisions of the law, the State commissioners contend, places an unjust burden on the business of the nation from which it should be relieved by immediate repeal of that part of the law. The power of the Interstate Commerce Commission over intra-State rates should be clearly defined and limited, the State commissioners say, so that no intra-State rate may be changed or set aside without proof by competent evidence and upon findings of fact made, that the same injures a person or persons or a locality or localities engaged in interstate commerce to such an extent as to diminish seriously the business of such person or persons, or seriously to retard the growth and development of such locality or localities.

OTHER DEMANDS

The State commissions also want power over distribution of freight cars irrespective of whether the cars are used in interstate or intra-State commerce.

They want the Interstate Commerce Commission deprived of any power to regulate the sales or service of electric railroads carrying on local street railway transportation.

Authority over abandonment and construction of railroads wholly between points in a State should be lodged exclusively in the State commissions, the commissioners assert, and they will ask Congress to write such authority into the law.

Wife Murders Husband Then Falls Asleep

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

PHOENIX, Dec. 16.—Manria Moreno this morning was found peacefully sleeping on a bloody bed beside the body of her husband, Manuel, whom she had murdered about daybreak, several hours before. Apparently still under the influence of a drug or of liquor, she calmly told how she had raisen while Manuel still slept and had stabbed him through the throat and then had shot him twice in the body with his own revolver.

The bloody knife was still concealed in her bosom, but the pistol was not found. She said she had thrown it away. She claimed her husband had threatened her life and that she had thought it prudent to anticipate him.

The shots had been heard by neighbors, but it was not till nearly noon before the police were summoned to the house on South Fifth street. Moreno was a barber. The couple were late arrivals from Mexico.

Croker's Widow Gets Huge Bill for Income Tax

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

WEST PALM BEACH (Fla.) Dec. 16.—Counsel here for Mrs. Bula E. Croker, yesterday received governmental notice of an income tax assessment in the amount of $938,000 against the Croker estate for the years 1918-1920. Mrs. Croker is the widow of Richard Croker, former Tammany chieftain.

Tea Party Scene Is Re-enacted by Boston College

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

BOSTON, Dec. 16.—In Boston's old South Meeting House from which December 16, 1773, a band of colonists, disguised as Mohawks, went forth to the famous Boston Tea Party, that party was re-enacted in commemoration of its 150th anniversary.

The Dramatic Association of Boston College, portrayed the pouring of the tea on which the colonists refused to pay a tax, into Boston Harbor, the event that led directly to the Revolutionary War.

TO BRING BOY HERE ON AUTO THEFT CHARGE

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

MEMPHIS (Tenn.) Dec. 16.—Elmer Harris of Hollywood, Tenn., must go to Los Angeles to be tried on a charge of stealing and selling an automobile, United States Commissioner Poole decided today after hearing the testimony of Clair Steel, 18-year-old youth who participated in the theft and was brought here from Riverside, Cal., where he is now serving a sentence of eleven months and twenty-nine days for his part in the crime.

Harris and three other youths, it is charged, stole the car in Salt Lake City, Utah, and drove it to Los Angeles, where they sold it for $25.

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HOCKING ENGAGEMENT RING WAS LAST STRAW

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

CHICAGO, Dec. 16.—Mrs. Joseph Sobleman stood a lot from her husband in the way of abuse and neglect, but when he insisted she pawn her diamond engagement ring and give him the money, and beat her because she refused, they came to the parting of the ways. Yesterday she sued him for a divorce and Judge Sullivan continued the hearing until the 18th inst., meanwhile ordering Sobleman to pay his wife $15 a week temporary alimony.

ALTON COVELL GIVEN LIFE IMPRISONMENT

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

COQUILLE (Or.) Dec. 16.—Alton Covell, 16 years of age, was convicted of murder in the first degree, with the recommendation of life imprisonment, for the killing of his step-mother, Mrs. Ebba Covell of Bandon, Or. The jury was out forty-five minutes. Evidence brought out in his trial here this week was to the effect that he had committed the murder at the instigation of his uncle, Arthur Covell, crippled astrologist, who already has been sentenced to death for his part in the affair. Mrs. Covell was strangled to death in the kitchen of her home with an ammonia-soaked rag September 3, last.

HUBBARD RUSSELL HEADS CATTLEMEN

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 16.—Hubbard Russell of Los Angeles has been re-elected president of the California Cattlemen's Association, it was announced at the annual convention of the association held here. The election was held last night. R. M. Hagen of San Francisco was elected executive secretary. Five zone presidents and board of directors also were elected.

RUMANIA THREATENS TO SEIZE PROPERTY

[BY CABLE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

VIENNA, Dec. 16.—According to news received here, the Rumanian government has sent a note to Berlin threatening to confiscate German property in Rumania and stocks valued at $1,000,000 because Germany has interrupted reparations payments.

TEMPERATURE NEAR ZERO

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

OMAHA, Dec. 16.—Falls City shivered in the lowest temperature of the season when the mercury dropped to 7 degrees above zero this morning, a drop of 26 degrees from yesterday's minimum mark.

Dropsy Cured 17 Years

I had been tapped 36 times and at the hospital told that another tapping would be the end; but felt I could not die and leave a family of girls without father or mother. At this time, we heard of Dr. F. E. Chamberlain's Herbal Treatment for Dropsy and began treatment at once with wonderful results and have been cured now over 17 years and still feel fit.

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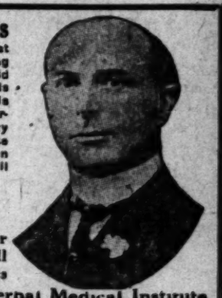

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An odd present, you will say, but it will please him to see the old shabby one replaced by a good looking, fireproof basket such as we can show you.

Every department of this seven-floor store offers many other good suggestions for gifts for the business man or woman. We welcome you here and invite you to take your time to look around. We do not want you to feel obligated to buy because you come in, and our salesmen will be pleased to give you any assistance or information.

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Sailstad Back Home to Face Arson Charge

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

SUPERIOR (Wis.) Dec. 16.—Edward J. Sailstad came back home tonight with Dorothy Anderson, his "sunshine girl," to face charges of arson and grave robbery in connection with the hoax the two staged at Lake Nebagamon, Wis., near here, more than three years ago. At that time they disinterred and burned the body of Allen McPhee, Sailstad's friend, to free the former Eau Claire manufacturer from his marital obligations and to perpetuate their love compact.

British Liquor Treaty Opposed by Californian

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 16.—A formal protest against the proposed treaty with Great Britain regarding liquor transportation on the high seas was telegraphed to President Coolidge yesterday by William H. Metson, chairman of the executive committee of the California division of the Association Against the Prohibition Amendment.

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11 A. M.

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RECOGNITION OF SOVIET REMOTE

President Embarrassed by Misunderstanding

Russian Fate Depending on Three Conditions

Friendship of America is Declared Impossible

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—President Coolidge and Secretary Hughes have been tremendously embarrassed by the interpretations which have been placed upon the President's message to Congress respecting the recognition of soviet Russia, it was learned upon the highest authority today.

The administration, it was stated, is being most embarrassed as a result of the communications urging recognition which have been sent to the President following the transmission of the President's message to Congress.

OFFERS CONDITIONS

The United States government, it is asserted on the highest authority, is farther away from recognition of soviet Russia than it has been for the past five or six years.

The United States government can never recognize the soviet government except upon three conditions:

(1.) The soviet government must recognize at least the claims of the United States against Russia.

(2.) The soviet government must agree to restore the American property confiscated under the soviet regime.

(3.) The soviet government must agree to abandon its apparently world-wide enterprise to enforce a Communistic regime in various foreign countries.

TOURS STIR IRE

The inclination on the part of various Senators and Representatives who have recently traveled in Europe to pass judgment upon the policies of the State Department has aroused indignation on the part of individual members of the State Department. It is pointed out that for months past the State Department has had access to the individual reports of various consuls and that an opportunity has been afforded to consider the reports in comparison with other information.

The conclusions arrived at as a result of these studies is that if anything President Coolidge is more warranted than ever in his contention that there must be radical changes in the program of the soviet authorities before recognition by the United States can be hoped for.

SOCIETY'S GAMBLERS RELEASED

Raid Finds Fashionable Women and Heavy Game on in New York Home

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—Eight expensively gowned women, all wealthy and three of them wives of prominent men, spent an anxious hour in West Side police court yesterday when Mrs. Emily Benjamin, attractive widow, was arraigned and charged with maintaining a gambling house in her apartment on West Ninety-fourth street.

Detectives say they found the women seated around a table playing poker for high stakes when they raided Mrs. Benjamin's apartment.

"To enter the game each woman had to buy $200 worth of chips," they said one of the players told them. "They were actually given $495 worth while the other $5 was given to the negro maid who served the refreshments and acted as doorkeeper.

"We seized a number of chips. These yellow ones represented $50 while the reds are $5, the blues $2 and the whites $1."

The detectives admitted that they saw no money passed.

Mrs. Benjamin admitted the women, members of the Thursday Ladies' Club, played poker at her home and that they provided money for the maid, but she denied that she received money to permit the women to gamble. The games, she said, were social and no different from those played in any other private home. So the magistrate discharged her.

RAILROAD PERFECTS NEW SAFETY DEVICE

INVENTION STOPS TRAIN IF IT RUNS PAST SIGNAL SET FOR DANGER

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

NEW LONDON (Ct.) Dec. 16.—Wrecks like the crash on the New York Central, which cost the life of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Sweet of Los Angeles and others, will be impossible on the New Haven Road if a safety device tried out here yesterday proves as successful as early tests indicate. All day yesterday engine No. 1310 was running up and down a siding testing the control device. As a result announcement was made today that the line from Wallingford to New Haven will be equipped with the safety apparatus.

Powerful magnets are placed under the tender of the locomotive, close to the rails. Block signals are fixed so that if a train runs by a signal set against it the magnets of the tender are energized and attach themselves to the rails, bringing the train to a stop. The device is arranged so that if it is out of order it automatically stops the train.

GEORGE W. FOWLE DIES

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

DETROIT, Dec. 16.—George W. Fowle, 51 years of age, former Commissioner of Police and former Commissioner of Public Works in Detroit, died at his home, 509 Peterboro street. Mr. Fowle had been in poor health for some time but his death was unexpected. A few days ago it was believed he was recovering from his illness.

Even if things get tough once in a while, I smile anyhow.

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He makes it possible for your dollars to do just about double duty. It's an absolute fact that he saves you big money on any merchandise bought at his two stores.

(Signed) Santa Claus.

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LETTING GO, RIGHT NOW

Letting go all idea of honest profit; all ideas of a healthy business. I got to get mine in cash now—making it possible for you to save big money on

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FREE FOR THE LADIES accompanying the men who buy a Suit or Overcoat, I will give a pair of $2.50 value Thread Silk Hose. But, remember, the lady must come along.

FOR THE MEN who are single, and purchase a Suit or Overcoat, I will give a $2.00 value Tie to match your new suit or overcoat. **FREE**

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I bought these direct from the factory at a real bargain and I'm going to give you the benefit. Out they go at..... **$14.35**

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Just received a large shipment of heavy suits and overcoats. All sizes, colors and styles. Made to retail as high as $45.00. Free Sale Price.. **$16.75**

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This line was made for one of the leading merchants of California to retail from $45.00 to $60.00. They are strictly all wool and hand tailored. I bought them less than ½ price and I'm going to sell them the same way. They won't last more than 3 days at **$19.45**

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$2.50 value fine, combed lisle Cooper's Union Suits.... **$1.69**
3 Suits for $5.00

$3 Spring Needle Lightweight Wool Union Suits. Reduced to..... **$1.95**
3 Suits for $5.75

$2.50 value full weight wool mixed Ribbed Shirts or Drawers, each..... **$1.39**

$2.50 value Soisette lightweight Pajamas. Price now **$1.95**

$3.50 value heavyweight Cooper's make silk mixed random Union Suits..... **$2.45**

EXTRA VALUE
$7.00 value Brushed Wool Sweaters in the wanted colors. Now only.... **$4.85**

PANTS

$3.00 value fine heavy never wear out Khaki Pants. Out they go..... **$1.75**

A $5.00 value worsted striped Pants. Price Sale..... **$3.95**

35c value Gray Mixed Cashmerette Sox **19c**
1 Doz. Only $1.90

SHIRTS

A big $3.00 value, extra good quality Oxford Shirts. **$1.95**

A $2.50 Value Baxter's Heavy "REPP" Linen Shirt. Square Deal Price.... **$1.69**
3 for $5.00

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Berlin Professor Protests; Says Porter Earns 350 Times as Much

[BY CABLE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]
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BERLIN, Dec. 16.—Are the services of a railway porter worth 350 times as much to the nation as those of a scientist of international repute?

That question is raised by Privy Councilor Bier, professor of surgery in Berlin University and world-famed as a medical authority.

Prof. Bier recently was asked to render an opinion in court proceedings and devoted four hours to studying the case and preparing his opinion. He receivedin due course a court fee of 30,000,000 marks, worth then about half a cent. On the same day he paid a porter 140,000,000 marks for three minutes' work carrying his trunk from a baggage room to a carriage. This is an officially fixed charge.

The professor protested to the court, but the police prefect ruled that the fee was adequate and that Prof. Bier's bill for the equivalent of $12 was extortionate.

Prof. Bier submitted the facts to the medical profession, with a recommendation that they refuse their services in legal proceedings until assured of adequate compensation.

A comparison of Prof. Bier's fee with that paid to medical experts in celebrated American trials is interesting.

FLOOD HALTS FUNERAL

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 16.—The funeral of Miss Alma Lyle of Columbus, Ind., which was to have been conducted yesterday, has been postponed indefinitely because of high water. The home is marooned by overflow waters from a nearby stream and the undertakers, minister and others are unable to reach it. The funeral will be held as soon as the waters recede.

TURKEY MARKET LOW

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 16.—Produce buyers at Wichita today declared the turkey market is the lowest it has been in fifteen years. Fifteen cents a pound is being quoted for No. 1 birds. Farmers are not selling. "The East does not want turkeys," is the explanation of the buyers. Last year, this time, turkeys were bringing 35 cents a pound.

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[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

CHICAGO, Dec. 16.—Despite active search in the principal cities and at ports of the United States today, in addition to inquiry in Cuba, Pan-American and West Indian points, no trace was obtained today of Leo Koretz, the five-million-dollar super-Ponzi.

Bankruptcy proceedings will be begun in the courts here tomorrow and the first witness will be Mrs. Koretz, who, with her two children, were left penniless in a costly mansion by Koretz when he departed. She will be followed on the stand by the brothers of Koretz, all of whom lost large sums in his visionary schemes.

MYSTERY GIRL FOUND

Authorities today located the mysterious "Althea" a letter to whom, torn to bits, was found in Koretz's office. It was pieced together and the girl was traced to an eastern city where she has been apprehended and will be questioned as to her relations with Koretz. In her letter this girl complained that Koretz had deserted her.

A man and his wife, the latter who is supposed to know much of the Koretz social life, and another woman, presumably close to the swindler, and a chauffeur all dropped out of sight today, leaving their hotel in a closed car and going into seclusion. All of them are cited to appear in court tomorrow morning and the officials believe they may have left the hotel merely to avoid reporters.

INTEREST IN MONEY

The woman who was at first supposed to be the one who employed detectives to watch Koretz's hotel for a woman, denies this vigorously. She also denies any knowledge of the elegantly appointed secret flat maintained on the south side by Koretz. She claims that her husband lost $30,000 in the Koretz swindles and that her interest in Koretz and his affairs ends there.

It developed last night that Koretz had planned to get Julius Rosenwald, head of Sears, Roebuck & Company, into his Panama scheme to the extent of a million dollars. This, together with his offer of $50,000 a year to Judge Harry Fisher to enter his organization as general counsel, led to his undoing for Rosenwald and Fisher began an investigation to discover the basis for the remarkable success of Koretz.

VICTIMS AWAKENED

Investigators sent to Colon will arrive in New York Wednesday and a cable message from them says they could find no trace of the alleged wonderful Bayano River Trust Company or of Koretz. The Bayano River is an alligator infested stream, emptying into the ocean northeast of Panama City. The only product its banks ever yielded was a limited quantity of balsa wood used in airplanes and there never has been a hint of oil in that vicinity. The Sinclair oil fields are at Bocas on the Atlantic Coast, and the Texas Company has a plant at Chirqui on the Pacific, both many miles from Bayano.

It develops that dupes of Koretz, with visions of wealth pouring in, began living on an expensive scale. Several of them sent their sons and daughters to high-priced eastern finishing schools, indulged in limousines and moved to more expensive quarters. Now that the bubble has burst, the children are being recalled and the sad investors are moving from costly hotels back to their former more humble quarters.

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Artists Claim Salvage Rights on Wrecked Ship

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

MONTEREY, Dec. 16.—Four venturesome members of the Carmel art colony headed by Paul Flanders, young and wealthy, and accompanied by James Meehan, boss stevedore, late yesterday, boarded the wrecked lumber ship Flavel, being pounded to pieces on the rocks in the ocean off what is known as The Loop, and claimed salvage rights to the vessel and her $65,000 cargo of Washington lumber. The Flavel was on the way from Aberdeen, Wash., to San Pedro when she struck.

The party undertook the perilous task despite the warning of A. R. Paull, agent of the Hammond Lumber Company, which chartered the ship, that he would see to it that anyone who boarded the wrecked vessel would be arrested for piracy.

The five men brought ashore the Flavel's navigation instruments to establish their salvage claims.

Flanders and his companions were successful after the vessel's crew had failed in two attempts to get aboard the ship.

Attorney Asks Disbarment of Self in Court

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

SANTA ROSA, Dec. 16. — A unique document was recorded here yesterday when William H. Early, Petaluma lawyer, filed in Superior Court a petition seeking his own disbarment. He cited what he termed "unintentional irregularities" in the handling of the funds of the estate of Andrew Poe Gaver.

Suit was filed against Early and a client, Mrs. Sarah Ellen Gaston, in which her ward, Richard Poe Gaver, asked for an accounting. A judgment for $29,000 was rendered against the two, but Early resumed responsibility for "unintentional errors" and asserted Mrs. Gaston was blameless. Without waiting for a citation to be brought against him by the Sonoma County Bar Association, Early today filed a petition asking for his own disbarment.

JOHNSON SUPPORTERS IN STATE FORM CLUB

ORGANIZATION EFFECTED AT SAN FRANCISCO; ELECTION IS HELD

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 16.—Formation of the "Hiram W. Johnson for President Northern California Republican Organization" was effected at the Palace Hotel yesterday by more than 400 persons. The assembly elected as president of the new organization, Charles L. Neumiller of Stockton, who managed the last Johnson Senatorial campaign in this part of the State.

Dr. Mariana Bartola of San Francisco was named first vice-president; Lieut.-Gov. C. C. Young of San Francisco, second vice-president, and Franck Havenner of San Francisco, secretary.

The meeting voted to create a campaign committee to be appointed by the president on the recommendation of representatives from the State Assembly districts.

The campaign committee, it was decided, will suggest two more names from each district for membership on the executive committee. It was agreed that the organization would co-operate with a similar body in Southern California, managed from Los Angeles, to work for election at the primary next May of delegates to the Republican National Convention pledged to support the candidacy of Senator Johnson.

MANY ATTEND RITES FOR NEWSPAPER MAN

FORMER ASSOCIATES COME FROM AFAR TO OFFER EDITOR TRIBUTE

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

PROVIDENCE (R. I.) Dec. 16.—Funeral services for John R. Rathom, editor of the Providence Journal and Evening Bulletin, were conducted yesterday at Grace Episcopal Church.

Representatives from newspaper organizations in several sections of the country were among the hundreds who filled the church. Frederick Roy Martin, general manager of the Associated Press; Theodore Tellis of Worcester, president of the New England Daily Newspaper Association, and William F. Rogers of Boston, chairman of the Bureau of Advertising of the American Newspaper Publishers Association, were present with others of Mr. Rathom's former associates from these organizations.

TESTS SHOW PERFECT PHYSICAL GIRL RARE

EXAMINATIONS CONDUCTED IN CHICAGO REVEAL MANY DEFECTS

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

CHICAGO, Dec. 16.—There is no such thing as a physically perfect girl in Chicago, according to statistics taken from the 881 who have been examined for swimming and gymnasium classes during the last two months in the central branch, Y.W.C.A., 59 East Monroe street.

Out of 1350 girls who registered, 881 have been examined and graded according to scale. The high mark being 20 points or approximate physical perfection. None of the 881 girls made this grade, 15 points being consdiered very good and most of the girls examined averaging about 13 points.

Some of the disabilities found were: Curvatures, postural and structural; flat feet, broken arches, bad tonsils, heart cases, questionable tuberculosis, overweight, underweight, neurosis.

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	Enamel Dorine	7.00 and more
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[BY CABLE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

PARIS, Dec. 16.—France has replaced Germany since the war as the world's toymaker, statistics reveal. The war-time factories at Leipzig and Nuremburg further engaged in munitions manufacture after the armistice, while the French speedily adapted their munitions plants to manufacturing toys.

The French now make every toy that Germany does, except harmonicas and colored glass balls used to decorate Christmas trees. Germany and Japan still export many cheap toys, and England and Belgium are trying to break into toy manufacturing.

American toys will not sell in Europe because they are not artistic and are not carefully made, breaking quickly.

The French exportation of toys this year is expected to reach a value of 75,000,000 francs (about $3,950,000.)

FORGER STARTS TRIP TO INSANE HOSPITAL

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

NEW ORLEANS, Dec 16.—Escorted by detectives, William Hamilton Harkins, forger, started at noon today on his journey across the continent to the hospital for the insane at Agnew, Cal., where he will be recommitted after several months of liberty. Authorities say the forger's brother, a minister of the Methodist church at San Jose, Cal., is providing for his return.

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Pennsylvania Chief Declines to Accept Ruling

Brewery Inspection Clause Roundly Scored

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

HARRISBURG (Pa.) Dec. 16.—Gov. Pinchot and Roy A. Haynes, Prohibition Commissioner, have resumed the dispute relative to the rights of State police to inspect breweries and distilleries where the Governor and Secretary of the Treasury Mellon quit more than a month ago.

Out of the Pinchot-Mellon controversy came a promise from the Secretary that Pennsylvania State policemen would be given power to inspect permit-holding breweries and alcohol distilleries. Correspondence made public by Gov. Pinchot tonight throws light on how this promise was kept.

PERMIT CHANGED

The permits in Pennsylvania have been modified, a letter from Maj. Haynes shows, to include the inspections.

The Governor wrote letters to Commissioner Haynes asking for information about the steps taken to put the Mellon promise into effect. In response he learned of the State inspections allowed "during ordinary business hours."

The Governor then wrote:

"Does the enforcement service of the Treasury Department hold that criminals may be caught only 'during ordinary business hours?'

"This is the first proposal in my experience for restraining officers of the law from restraining criminals except 'during ordinary business hours,'" says the letter. "Neither my request nor Secretary Mellon's promise contemplated any closed season for lawbreakers outside of 'ordinary business hours.' If the enforcement service believes that the lawbreakers break the law only in 'ordinary business hours,' the Pennsylvania State police know they do not.

"The enforcement service may, as is often charged, put needless obstacles in its own way by its own regulations. But I cannot agree to any such system for Pennsylvania. We have trouble enough to enforce the law, using twenty-four hours a day to work in, instead of 'ordinary business hours.'

"Criminals work mainly at night Secretary Mellon's promise meant a real inspection or it meant nothing. I refuse to accept as a fulfillment of this promise your permission to inspect breweries and distilleries, with a string to it that will hobble the officers of the law."

NOTICIAS MUNDIALES DE ULTIMA HORA

En obsequio a nuestros numerosos amigos de habla española, y para beneficio de los lectores americanos de "The Times" que estudien esa lengua, publicamos diariamente esta columna en castellano, con un extracto de las más importantes noticias de última hora.

Buena parte del futuro progreso de Los Angeles, que es la metrópoli de los Estados Unidos que más cercana se halla a territorio latino-americano, habrá de depender de las relaciones que logremos establecer con nuestras hermanas, las repúblicas del sur. Para que lleguen a ser enteramente cordiales, no hay nada tan importante como que nuestros ciudadanos se familiaricen con la lengua castellana. Tan se dan cuenta de este hecho nuestros habitantes, que hay al presente más de 25,000 personas que estudian español en Los Angeles. A ellas les conviene leer todos los días esta columna, en la que encontrarán español correcto y enteramente moderno.

NOTAS TELEGRAFICAS

Noticias de Washington

WASHINGTON, diciembre 16.—Al Diputado Green, presidente de la comisión de presupuestos de la Cámara le ha sido tramitido por el Ministro Mellon el sumario de los cambios importantes que dicho ministro propone en su revisión completa de la ley de ingresos, incluyendo las reducciones de impuestos, aprobadas por el Presidente Coolidge y muchos propuestos cambios en la administración de la recaudación de contribuciones federales.

La adpocin de la propuesta reforma constitucional sobre trabajo infantil va a hacer posible la limitación de los males originados por el trabajo de los niños en el campo, pues se incluiran en la prooxima ley sobre esa materia, disposiciones federales que circunscriban la edad y las horas de trabajo de más de medio millón de niños empleados en la fincas rústicas.

La demostración prática que se ha dado en el Senado y en la Cámara de que los grupos republicanos radicales están en aptitud de crear desorden, indica que el actual período del congreso abundará en palabras, pero será improductivo.

La Asociación Nacional de Ferrocarriles y los comisionados de servicios públicos proyectan atacar la ley de transportes en el presente período del congreso.

Los Rebeldes en Fuga

CIUDAD DE MEJICO, diciembre 16.—Después de las noticias de anoche del frente occidental, por las que se anunciaba que Obregón había salido rumbo al frente oriental, pasando por la capital para dirigir la campaña contra el General Sánchez en Veracruz, se recibió el informe de que los rebeldes habían sido derrotados en el sector de Jalisco cuiban de retirada hacia Guadalajara. Esta noticia parece indicar que los planes federales de derrotar a los rebeldes en el frente occidental y cargar luego las tropas federales sobre el sector oriental para aplastar al General Sánchez, están dando resultado.

Del cuartel general federal en Yurécuaro vienen mensajes en que se dice que los insurrectos volaron puentes y destruyeron vías herradas y carreteras al retirarse. De este modo, quedan incapacitados para movimientos de avance, pues una pequeña fuerza de federales podrá impedir que se reparen esas obras, manteniendo así paradas a las fuerzas revolucionarias hasta que se dé un golpe decisivo en Veracruz. Que éste es el último plan de Obregón lo indican los despachos de anoche, que anuncian marchó de Iraquato seguido por largos trenes con caallería que será utilizada en la campaña de oriente.

Obregón Camino de Veracruz

CIUDAD DE MEJICO, diciembre 16.—Alvaro Obregón, en su uniforme de khaki, con las insignias de jefe supremo del ejército, partió hoy pra el sector de Veracruz, donde tomará el mando de los federales y tratará derecuperar los puntos ocupados por los rebeldes.

Las palabras de despedida que dirigió Obregón a sus partidarios, fueron: "Creo que para Navidad podremos volver a dormir tranquilos." Supónese que la presencia del presidnete en la región de Veracruz Infundirá una buena moral a las tropas del gobierno. Mucho se ha encomiado aquí el valor de Obregón al hacerse cargo activo de la situación, no obstante lo delicado de su salud, y se ve en ello la prueba de sus incansables esfuerzos en pro de la paz.

NOTAS LOCALES

Mátanse Dos Aviadores en un Vuelo

En el aeródromo Clover de Santa Monica se mataron ayer dos aviadores del servicio aéreo de reserva, pues el avión en que hacían un corto vuelo de práctica se vino a tierra desde una altura de 400 pies. Estos dos oficiales han encontrado la muerte justamente la víspera del vigésimo aniversario de la navegación aérea de los más pesados que el aire.

Las víctimas de este accidente mortal fueron William D. Fowler, de 26 años, domiciliado en la calle North Vine, 2109, que era teniente de la Reserva Aérea, y Harvey Lightfoot, de 28 años, policía motociclista de Culver City, y sargento de reserva, con residencia en la calle Duquoane, 527. Fowler falleció en la ambulancia, al ser transportado al Hospital de Veteranos de Sawtelle, y Lightfoot, al ser puesto sobre la mesa de operaciones.

Se Bate el Record de Aprehensiones Realizadas en un Día

Entre la noche del sábado y las primeras horas de la mañana del Domingo fueron encaraceladas 286 personas, lo que constituye un record y es una de las más grandes limpias efectuadas en la historia del departamento de policía de Los Angeles. Este número de arrestos fue producto de una noche de intensa actividad en todos los ramos del departamento que es a las órdenes del Jefe Vollmer.

La brigada "aplasta-crímenes" recientemente organizada contribuyo con el mayor número de detenciones, siguiéndole muy de cerca la Escuadra del Vicio. Treinta y tres personas fueron acusadas de felonía, y sobre diez de ellas pesaban sospechas de robo. Cinco de los presos están acusados de robo con escalo, y ocho más de hurto mayor. El mundo de la gente maleante fue bien escudriñado por los oficiales de policía, y entre los cogidos en la red hay por lo menos veinte a quienes se buscaba por numerosos atracos y robos cometidos en la ciudad. Muchos de los detenidos en esta ciudad son recién llegados, y forman parte de los que se ha dado en llamar "pájaros de la nieve"; esto es, inmigrantes que vienen a pasar el invierno en tierras del sur.

Soccer

DEPORTES

El Club Atlético de Los Angeles venció a los once "Overseas" en el principal juego de soccer jugado ayer en el parque Washington, por ocho tantos contra uno. Los Hijos de San Jorge les ganaron a los Escoceses por tanteo de 1 a 0.

Tennis

Walter Westbrook, antiguo campeón canadiense de nones de tennis, se distinguió en Pasadena, en las canchas del Hotel Huntington, venciendo a Upton Sinclair en un match, de nones, y ganando también una prueba de dobles.

Lanzamiento de Moscas

Oscar Lane ganó ayer cinco primeros lugares en el torneo que, en el parque Lincoln, celebró el Club de Lanzamiento de Mosca y Carnada de Los Angeles.

Futbol

El equipo de futbol de la Legión Americana de Selma venció a la brigada de Arroyo Grande el día de ayer, en Selma, por tanteo de 67 a 0.

MERCHANT CRUSHED IN AUTO ACCIDENT

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

FRESNO, Dec. 16.—Armen M. Donabedian, 37 years of age, a widely known Fresno merchant, was fighting for his life today in the Burnett Sanatorium with a crushed chest, internal injuries and fractures of the wrist and ankle, while B. E. Dodson, whose automobile ran Donabedian down last night, is under arrest on a charge of reckless driving. He was arrested soon after the accident. Dodson was taken to the County Jail, and today pleaded guilty before Police Judge James G. Crichton, was released on $200 bail and was granted a trial on January 18. Donabedian was crossing Kern and M streets when Dodson, making a left-hand turn, struck him and dragged him almost fifty feet. Dodson told the police he was talking with two girls he was giving a "lift" and that Donabedian was within six feet of his car when he looked up.

WOMAN SHOOTS MAN; TRIES TO KILL SELF

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

FRESNO, Dec. 16.—Although she was at first believed to be only slightly injured, surgeons of the County Hospital started a battle to save the life of Mrs. Alethea Mundie, 27-year-old divorcee of Kansas City, Mo., who early yesterday shot and wounded Floyd C. Streitler, 27, also of Kansas City, in the lobby of the Palace Hotel while Streitler was on duty as night clerk, and then attempted to kill herself. It has been found that Mrs. Mundie's brain was pierced by the .22-caliber bullet she fired into her head after shooting Streitler in the abdomen. Streitler is said to be out of danger.

MERRITT ON FINAL LAP OF CAMPAIGN

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

FRESNO, Dec. 16.—After a speaking tour that has carried him to nearly every unit of the organization since November 5, President Ralph P. Merritt of the Sun-Maid Raisin Growers will close his speaking itinerary of the raisin belt this week. He will speak Monday at Reedley, Tuesday at Kingsburg, Wednesday at Biola, Thursday in Caruthers and Friday in Fresno, the last stop on his swing around the district. Each meeting will be called at 8 o'clock. It was Merritt's purpose to carry a personal message to every grower in the raisin section, and the plan will be made an annual part of the Sun-Maid's development program.

CHAMBER TO ELECT

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE]

SOUTH GATE, Dec. 16.—The annual election of the Chamber of Commerce is scheduled next Friday night. A president, vice-president, secretary, treasurer and a board of directors will be elected. President L. A. Griley and Secretary C. J. Tope announce that they will not be candidates for re-election.

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Kentucky Woman Took Jimson Weed and Milk, As Prescribed by "Specialist"

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

LOUISVILLE (Ky.) Dec. 16.—Investigation of the death of Mrs. Emma Warren, 43 years of age, 2136 Lyons avenue, in the City Hospital was launched following information that she had taken a home-made remedy, concocted of jimson weed boiled in milk, said to have been suggested by a self-styled "herb specialist."

Sufficient evidence can be collected, C. E. Campbell, the "specialist," will be arrested on a warrant sworn to by the State Board of Health, charging practicing medicine without a license, according to Dr. A. T. McCormack, secretary of the board. Capt. E. A. Smith, Chief of Detectives, who is investigating the case, said he would await developments before he instituted police action. Dr. McCormack explained that suggestion and use of a remedy would constitute no violation.

"SURE CURE"

Mrs. Warren was taken to the City Hospital after she was found to be in a serious condition by members of the family. She used the concoction, she declared, on advice of Campbell, who had told her it was a "sure cure." Acquaintances of her family, Mrs. Warren had been in ill health several years, and for the last few months had taken several doses of a "tonic" made and sold by Campbell.

Campbell said Mrs. Warren was one of his "patients," he having "treated" her with the medicine he manufactured and peddled from house to house. She used four bottles of his tonic," he said, with "fairly good results."

A week ago, Campbell explained, Mrs. Warren informed him of another ailment, and asked for a cure.

SUGGESTED JIMSON

"I told her of the jimson weed remedy, with which I have cured several members of my family, and recommended its use," he said. He also informed her as to its preparation and application.

Campbell said he was retired from the Louisville Fire Department three years ago, after he was injured while fighting a fire. He had been making herb medicines for twenty years, he said, and peddled his products about Louisville. He never was a doctor, he explained, and had only a peddler's license. He said Mrs. Warren's death was the result of a "fatal mistake," because she did not make his medicine in the proper manner.

According to neighbors of Mrs. Warren, Campbell was well known in the vicinity and sold numerous bottles of his medicines. He is also said to have frequently stationed himself at the gates of the Louisville & Nashville Railroad, where he sold his products to employees.

HUNDREDS SEE BANDITS ROUTED IN GUN BATTLE

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 16.—Hundreds of shoppers on Market street here witnessed a daring attempt by four bandits, armed with revolvers, to rob three bank messengers of $10,000 late yesterday as the latter emerged from the Crystal Palace Market to deliver the money to a bank. George O'Keefe, alleged to be one of the bandits, was shot in the right leg and captured, and William Hull, a pedestrian, was wounded in the right hand by a stray bullet. The other three bandits escaped in an automobile.

SON OF STINNES SAILS FOR HOME

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—Hugo Stinnes Jr., son of the German financier, sailed for home yesterday declining to comment on the purpose of his tour of this country, which included a visit to Texas and Oklahoma oil fields. He refused to say whether his father planned a coalition with Sinclair oil interests.

Gandhi Faction Forces Crisis in Indian Poll

[BY CABLE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

CALCUTTA, Dec. 16.—India is face to face with its first "Cabinet crisis." The elections, which have been progressing for the past fortnight for members of provincial councils or legislatures, have resulted in a victory for the old Gandhi extremist faction in Bengal, and the provincial administration has resigned.

The Governor of Bengal has sent for C. R. Das, Mahatma Gandhi's successor in the party of nonco-operation, to form a government. Mr. Das has replied that he will explain the situation to his party tomorrow and announce its decision immediately.

ACCUSED BANDIT DIES OF ACCIDENTAL WOUND

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

MODESTO, Dec. 16.—Joseph Werts, 23 years of age, accidentally shot through the hip by his partner, Harry Walker, 25, while the two were attempting to elude police officers following the alleged hold-up and robbing of A. P. Lauer, Modesto man, last Tuesday evening, died in a hospital here last night from blood poisoning, according to Dr. R. E. Maxwell, county physician.

CHURCH ISSUES RULE ON PASTOR'S PENSION

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

SAN ANTONIO (Tex.) Dec. 16.—The first decision on church law to be handed down by the College of Bishops of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, in semiannual meeting here, was made public this afternoon when it was announced the wives of superannuated preachers of the church, who married after their husbands were placed on the superannuated list, are not entitled to pensions provided by the superannuated endowment fund.

The bishops approved this afternoon the campaign to be launched in February to increase the fund to $10,000,000 and also plans of strengthening the stewardship of the church.

PLUMBER CONVICTED ON MURDER CHARGE

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

GOLDEN (Colo.) Dec. 16.—Arthur H. Mitchell, Denver plumber, was found guilty of murder in the first degree by a jury here late last night. The penalty was fixed at death by hanging. The jury was out less than three hours. Mitchell was convicted of the murder October 23, last, of Mrs. Georgia Bryan, wife of a Denver assistant fire chief. Andrew J. Sherie, who was with the woman when she was slain, also was killed, but Mitchell has not been tried for the crime, although charged with having committed it.

Pawnshops in Paris Busy on Holiday Loans

[BY CABLE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

PARIS, Dec. 16.—The middle classes have replaced the poor as the best customers of the Paris pawnshops as a result of the war. The week just before Christmas is the busiest period of the year for the great government pawnshop, an official said today. Neatly dressed mothers are pawning personal belonging in order to buy toys for their kiddies.

The clientele has entirely changed since the war. The pawnshop crowds are well dressed, being members of the white collar class. There are no longer lines of only tattered poor.

DAKOTA AUTO MAN SEIZED AT LONG BEACH

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

SIOUX FALLS (S. D.) Dec. 16. C. E. Eggers, partner of Charles Swiden in the garage business at Veblin, S. D., where forty-seven stolen automobiles were found recently by Federal authorities, has been arrested in Long Beach, Cal., according to information received by the Department of Justice here. He will be brought back to South Dakota to answer to a charge of receiving stolen automobiles.

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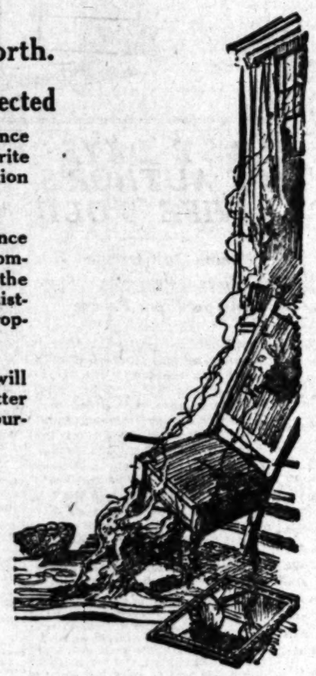

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ARRIVALS AT THIS PORT

SUNDAY, DEC. 16.

Tank steamer FRANK G. DRUM, Capt. Wertman, from Columbia River via San Francisco, 8 a.m.
Steamer RAMSEY, Capt. Donovan, from New York, 3 a.m.
Steamer JACOB LUCKENBACH, Capt. Johnson, from Boston, 3:05 a.m.
Brigtine steamer NEBRASKA, Capt. Collins, from San Francisco, 7:10 a.m.
Steamer ADMIRAL FARRAGUT, Capt. Gries, from San Francisco, 5:30 a.m.
Steamer DAISY GOSBY, Capt. Sebutis, from Gray's Harbor, 7:45 a.m.
Steamer ECUADOR, Capt. Boyce, from New York, 8:40 a.m.
Steamer WALLINGFORD, Capt. Illig, from San Francisco, 9:45 a.m.
Steamer YALE, Capt. Self, from San Francisco, 11 a.m.
Steamer MANCHURIA, Capt. Ecoder, from San Francisco, 11:50 a.m.
Steamer HARVARD, Capt. Hamma, from San Diego, 3:35 p.m.
Steamer MARGARET DOLLAR, Capt. Garne, from New York, 4:45 p.m.
Norwegian steamer PACIFIC, Capt. Haamar, from Iquique.
Steamer MARGARET DOLLAR, Capt. Payne, New York, 4:45 p.m.; general cargo for the Robert Dollar Line.
Steamer CABRILLO, Capt. Musseter, Avalon, 5:10 p.m., passengers and general cargo for the Wilmington Transportation Company.

DEPARTURES

SUNDAY, DEC. 16.

Tank steamer W. F. MILLER, Capt. Williamson, for San Francisco, 5 a.m.
Tank steamer MONTEBELLO, Capt. Collier, for San Francisco, 7:30 a.m.
Tug ROOSEVELT, Capt. Storman, for Seattle, 8:50 a.m., towing Barge Baydoc.
Steamer CABRILLO, Capt. Musseter, for Avalon, 10:30 a.m.
Steamer FORT BRAGG, Capt. Stanbourg, for Mendocino, 12:05 p.m.
Steamer HARVARD, Capt. Hamma, for San Francisco, 4:30 p.m.
Steamer ADMIRAL FARRAGUT, Capt. Gries, for San Francisco, 4:35 p.m.
Tank steamer FRANK G. DRUM, Capt. Madison, for San Francisco, 5:15; cargo of oil for Associated Oil Company.

CARGO VESSELS DUE TO ARRIVE

MONDAY, DECEMBER 17

Steamer PANAMA, from Boston.
British steamer VAN POLSWORDE, from Rio Grande.
Steamer TIGER, from New York.
Steamer STEEL VOYAGER, from Mobile.
Steamer E. ARETO, from Hoquiam Bay, B. C.
Steamer S. S. BAXTER, from Vancouver, B. C.
Tank steamer R. J. HANNA, from Richmond.
German steamer ELSMORE, from Shields, Eng.
Steamer WAIMEA, from San Francisco.
Steamer WEST MOTUS, from San Francisco.
Tank steamer ALDEN ANDERSON, from San Francisco.
British steamer AUTHOR, from Liverpool.

CARGO VESSELS DUE TO DEPART

MONDAY, DECEMBER 17

Steamer ANNETTE ROLPH, for San Francisco.
Motorship, DONNA LANE, for Tacoma.
Steamer EDNA CHRISTENSON, for Gray's Harbor, B. C.
Steamer ECUADOR, for San Francisco.
Tank steamer HALSEY, for New York.
Steamer J. M. PEW, for Philadelphia.
Steamer MANCHURIA, for New York.
Steamer MURSA, for San Francisco.
Steamer PHYLLIS, for San Francisco.
Tank steamer R. J. HANNA, for Richmond.
Steamer SANTA BARBARA, for San Francisco.
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Steamer WEST MONTOP, for Singapore.
Steamer WALLINGFORD, for San Francisco.
Steamer JOHN WORTHINGTON, for New York.

ARRIVALS AND CLEARANCES AT WORLD'S PORTS

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

PORTLAND (Or.) Dec. 16.—Arrived: Peleric (British.) 2 p.m.; Paiths; Capt. A. F. Lucas, 3 p.m., Los Angeles; Edna, 3 p.m.; J. I. Luckenbach, 9 p.m., San Francisco.
Departed: Steel Scientist, 11 a.m., Liebre, noon, Columbia, 10 p.m., San Francisco; motorship Osirts (German,) 6 p.m., Antwerp.

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 16.—Arrived: Point Loma, Wiliapa Harbor, 7 a.m.; Daisy Matthews, Portland, 2 p.m.
Departed: Harvard, San Francisco, 9 a.m.; Point Loma, San Francisco, 1 p.m.

TACOMA (Wash.) Dec. 16.—Arrived: Alameda, Alaska, 7:45 a.m.; Vinita, Baltimore, 10:45 a.m.; Hawaii Maru, British Columbia, noon; Amur, British Columbia, 12:10 p.m.; Port Angeles, San Francisco, 2 p.m.; Griffin, Los Angeles, 3:30 p.m.; Indiantc, Australia, 2 p.m.
Sailed: Royal Star, Europe, via Seattle, 9 a.m.; Tokkai Maru, Kobe, 10 a.m.; Maine, Baltimore and New York, 7 p.m.; Atsumasan Maru, Yokohama and Kobe, 6 p.m.

SEATTLE, Dec. 16.—Arrived: George Allen, Baltimore, 11 p.m.; Bagdad, Liverpool, 2 p.m.; Mexicana, Philadelphia, 5:30 p.m.; Bakersfield, Manila, 1:30 p.m.; Royal Star, Glasgow, 12:15 p.m.; Griffin, Los Angeles, 9:30 a.m.; La Touche, British Columbia ports, 8:15 a.m.; Admiral Sebree, San Francisco, 1:30 a.m.; U.S.S. Milwaukee, from cruise, 1:15 p.m.; Port Angeles, Los Angeles; Admiral and Victoria, Tacoma, yesterday.
Sailed: Griffin, Winslow, 1 p.m.; Admiral Sebree, Los Angeles, midnight; Silver Arrow, Everett, 11:15 a.m.; Protesilaus, Tacoma, 11:15 a.m.; President Madison, Manila, 11 a.m.; Kentuckian, Boston, 1:30 a.m.

PETERSBURG (Alaska) Dec. 16.—Sailed: Admiral Rogers, northbound, yesterday.

PORT TOWNSEND (Wash.) Dec. 16.—Sailed: Ikaron Maru, Seattle, via Everett, 11:10 a.m.; Indiantc, Tacoma, 11:10 a.m.

RAYMOND (Wash.) Dec. 16.—Arrived: Anne Hanify, Los Angeles, yesterday.
Sailed: Caddo, Los Angeles.

ASTORIA (Or.) Dec. 16.—Departed: Halco, 10 a.m.; El Capitan, 9 a.m., Los Angeles.

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—Arrived: Pennsylvania Sun, Los Angeles.
Sailed: Sagadahoc, San Francisco; Eurania, San Francisco; Wilfred, San Francisco; Midkiffa, Los Angeles; Utacarbon, Los Angeles.

CRISTOBAL, Dec. 15.—Arrived: Holger, San Francisco; Aztera, Los Angeles Harbor; Santa Olivia, New York, for San Francisco.
Sailed: Elisha Walker, Los Angeles; L. J. Drake, Los Angeles; Elida Clausen, Los Angeles; Durango, Los Angeles; Monticello, Los Angeles; District of Columbia, Los Angeles; Hagood, Los Angeles; Leikanger, Los Angeles.
Sailed: Cathwood, Baltimore, Dec. 10, Los Angeles. Virginia Dollar, Havana, Dec. 15, San Francisco.

News of Ships and Sailings at Pacific Ports

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 16.—The Royal Mail steamer Maunganui arrived here today with a heavy cargo from Australia and New Zealand, and a passenger list of approximately 100 persons. There were 17,107 bags of oscars and a large quantity of other foodstuffs aboard.
The Crowley launch company here will build four 500-ton barges, immediately in anticipation of an increase in the shipping trade for 1924, it was announced today.
Two barges will be placed in service in the bay here and two will be taken to Los Angeles.
The French schooner Raita arrived here today from Papeete, Society Islands, with 300 tons of copra in her holds. She carried no passengers. Capt. Leo Ozeno declared that French and German lines are taking the bulk of the copra trade and shipping direct to Europe, instead of to the United States as in war times.

PORTLAND, Dec. 16.—Three vessels arrived in the harbor today to carry cereals to the Orient. They are the British steamers Poleric and H. H. Asquith, and the Japanese steamer Hokkoh Maru. Several other vessels are due within the present week to carry grain to the Orient.
Cargo amounting to approximately 50,000 tons has been booked for four vessels of the Java-Pacific Line which are to arrive at Pacific Coast ports within the next month.
The vessels now headed this way are the Tjibesar, Madura, Tjikandi and Moera.
The Norwegian motorship Indra, first of the motorships to go from here in the Pacific Coast trade to South America as assessors to Shipping Board steamers which were withdrawn, will leave here tomorrow fully loaded.
With a shipment of Oregon apples and other cargo, the steamer Steel Scientist departed today for Europe.
Flour shipments for December from this port will show a heavy increase over those for November, according to a preliminary tabulation made by port officials.

SEATTLE, Dec. 16.—More than 50,000,000 feet of lumber and nearly 20,000 tons of general cargo will be loaded for offshore ports by fourteen vessels scheduled to berth at Port Commission's South Coro terminal between now and January 1, according to figures announced yesterday by Donald Ryrie, manager of the terminal. December promises to be the banner month in the history of Seattle's publicly-owned terminals, Ryrie says.
The steamship Atlantic is due here Tuesday, according to advices reaching the local manager for Norton, Lilly & Co., operators of the vessel today.
After discharging her Atlantic Coast cargo, the Atlantic will load for points on the west coast of South America and at those ports for the return to New York via the Panama Canal.
Bringing 1200 tons of freight from British United Kingdom ports, the steamship Author of the Harrison Direct Line is due here January 3. For her outward trip she will load liberal consignments of lumber and canned goods at Seattle and Tacoma.
The steamship President Madison of the Admiral-Oriental Line sailed today for the Orient with a full cargo of freight and 568 passengers

TACOMA (Wash.) Dec. 16.—Carrying 1,650,000 feet of lumber for Atlantic Coast ports, the Alaska cleared from the Tacoma harbor, late Sunday afternoon for Baltimore and New York.
After loading more than 1000 tons of copper at the Tacoma smelter, the Royal Star left Sunday morning for European ports by way of Seattle. The vessel, which is a Blue Funnel Liner, and represented on the Coast by the Pacific Steamship Company, will h barge her cargo at Glasgow and other British ports.
Alaska ore amounting to 650 tons is being discharged at the smelter dock to the Alameda, which arrived early Sunday morning. British Columbia ore and concentrates are being unloaded at the smelter by the Amur.
Bringing more than 1000 tons of copper from Manilla, the Blue Funnel liner Protesilaus arrived Sunday at the terminal dock. The vessel is also discharging some general cargo and will shift to other Sound ports, returning here later in the week to load flour and lumber.
The Vinita, of the United American Line, arrived at the smelter Sunday morning to load copper for East coast ports.
Taking 1,500,000 feet of lumber loaded at the St. Paul dock the Annamsan Maru left this afternoon for the Orient. The Tekoah Maru after loading 900,000 feet of lumber also left for Oriental ports.
Under charter to the General Steamship Corporation, the Indiantc, a Norwegian vessel, arrived here this afternoon. She will load 1,500,000 feet of lumber for Australia.
Dried fruits and other general freight was included in the cargo brought in Sunday by the Port Angeles from San Francisco. General cargo was also brought in by the Griffin from Los angeles.

ASTORIA (Or.) Dec. 16.—The steam schooner Halco, laden with 1,100,000 feet of lumber from Kalama sailed today for Los Angeles.
The steam schooner El Capitan with 987,560 feet of lumber from St. Helen's and 85,000 feet from Rainier, sailed today for Los Angeles.
The Norwegian steamer Halifred shifted this morning from the port terminals to Warrenton where she is to take on 500,000 feet of lumber.

PORT TOWNSEND (Wash.) Dec. 16.—The steamship Bakersfield arrived here this morning several days behind her schedule. When nearing Cape Flattery, she had engine trouble and for fifteen hours drifted at the mercy of the elements. After temporary repairs were made she limped into this port.

RADIO REPORT

[BY RADIO CORPORATION OF AMERICA]
LOS ANGELES STATION
Noon, December 15

HUGUENOT, New York for Los Angeles, 57a miles south of Los Angeles.
MINA BREA, Montreal for Vancouver, 1936 miles south of Vancouver.
SANTA PAULA, Los Angeles for New York, 1201 miles south of Los Angeles.
ALASKA MARU, Balboa for San Francisco, 1413 miles south of San Francisco.
TUSCALOOSA CITY, Balboa for San Diego, 1276 miles south of San Diego.
GEORGIAN, Los Angeles for New York, 1172 miles south of Los Angeles.

8 p.m., December 15

PAUL SHOUP, San Francisco for Buenos Aires, 1562 miles south of San Francisco.
COAHUILU, anchored at Manzanilla.

Noon, December 16

TIGER, New York for Los Angeles, 153 miles south of Los Angeles.
PACIFIC, San Francisco for Balboa, 813 miles south of San Francisco.
JAMES McGEE, Los Angeles for New York, 1830 miles north of Balboa.
STEEL VOYAGER, Galveston for Los Angeles, 330 miles south of Los Angeles.
H. H. ROGERS, Los Angeles for New York, 874 miles south of Los Angeles.
ZOPPOT, Buenos Aires for Los Angeles, 110 miles south of Los Angeles.
J. A. MOFFETT, JR., Los Angeles for New York, 2175 miles north of Balboa.
CHARLES PRATT, Los Angeles for New York, 2835 miles north of Balboa.
MUSKOGEE, Porto Rico for Los Angeles, 309 miles south of Los Angeles.
MT. CLINTON, Los Angeles for New York, 302 miles south of Los Angeles.
PENNSYLVANIAN, Los Angeles for New York, 551 miles south of Los Angeles.
LIVINGSTON BOE, Los Angeles for New York, 459 miles south of Los Angeles.
S. Q. BROWN, New York for Los Angeles, 340 miles south of Los Angeles.
AUTHOR, Balboa for Los Angeles, 296 miles south of Los Angeles.
HENRI KIRSEN, Montevideo for San Francisco, 1200 miles south of San Francisco.
SUTTERMCO, Columbia River for New York, 1816 miles northwest of Balboa.
PEARL SHELL, San Francisco for Balboa, 1109 miles south of San Francisco.
GEORGE G. HENRY, Balboa for Los Angeles, 320 miles south of Los Angeles.

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COLUSA, Salaverry for Los Angeles, 504 miles south of Los Angeles.
MONTEBELLO, Los Angeles for Martinez, 255 miles from Martinez.
ADMIRAL FARRAGUT, Los Angeles for San Francisco, 40 miles from Los Angeles.
ADMIRAL EVANS, San Francisco for Los Angeles, 120 miles from Los Angeles.
W. RHEEM, Los Angeles for New York, 330 miles south of Los Angeles.
F. H. HILLMAN, Los Angeles for Providence, 1830 miles south of Los Angeles.
ALGONQUIN, Los Angeles for Providence, 906 miles south of Los Angeles.
U.S.A.T. CAMBRAI, San Francisco for New York, 462 miles south of San Francisco.
STEEL RANGER, Los Angeles for New York, 800 miles south of Los Angeles.

SAN FRANCISCO STATION

8 p.m., December 15

ELKRIDGE, Portland for Kobe, 1561 miles from Columbia River.
FRANCONIA, Honolulu for Yokohama, 2360 miles from San Francisco.
CITY OF MANILA, Los Angeles for Yokohama, 288 miles from Los Angeles.
BEITO MARU, San Francisco for Yokohama, 1152 miles west of San Francisco.
MATSONIA, Honolulu for San Francisco, 874 miles from San Francisco.
TAMAHA, Kobe for San Francisco, 905 miles from San Francisco.
LURLINE, Seattle for Honolulu, 578 miles from Seattle.
MAUNA LOA, San Francisco for Honolulu, 1167 miles from San Francisco.
MAUNAALA, Hilo for Los Angeles, 1737 miles from Los Angeles.
H. T. HARPER, Hilo for San Francisco, 1736 miles from San Francisco.
ADMIRAL EVANS, leaving San Francisco for Wilmington, 10 p.m.
GEORGE H. JONES, Vancouver for Los Angeles, 276 miles north of San Francisco.
WEST CACTUS, Los Angeles for San Francisco, 10 p.m.
STANDARD ARROW, Kobe for San Francisco, 1158 miles from San Francisco.
ALDEN ANDERSON, passed out 9 p.m. bound Los Angeles.
SUPORTCO, Portland for New York, 20 miles south of Farralones.
MANGLANI, Portland for Kobe, 794 miles from Columbia River.

8 p.m. December 16

NARENTA, London for Vancouver, 660 miles from Cape Flattery.
H. T. HARPER, Hilo for San Francisco, 1539 miles from San Francisco.
STANDARD ARROW, Kobe for San Francisco, 958 miles from San Francisco.
ANOMIA, Hongkong for San Francisco, arriving San Francisco, 4:30 p.m.
SUPORTCO, Portland for Coos Bay, off Coos Bar.
KENTUCKIAN, Seattle for Portland, 25 miles south of Cape Flattery.
CHALLANDA, Marshfield for Astoria, bar bound Coos Bay.
EL SEGUNDO, El Segundo for Point Wells, 520 miles from Point Wells.
R. J. HANNA, Richmond for Los Angeles, 62 miles from Los Angeles.
W. S. MILLER, Los Angeles for Richmond, 391 miles from Richmond.
CHARLIE WATSON, Richmond for Eureka, 155 miles from Eureka.
ATLAS, Aberdeen for Richmond, 225 miles from Richmond.
TAMAHA, Kobe for San Francisco, 704 miles from San Francisco.
SHANONNEE, Shanghai for San Francisco, 672 miles from San Francisco.
J. A. MOFFETT, Los Angeles for Seattle, 220 miles from Seattle.
MAKAWELI, San Francisco for Portland, 386 miles, north of San Francisco.
ALDEN ANDERSON, San Francisco for Los Angeles, 100 miles from Los Angeles.
MONTEBELLO, Los Angeles for Martinez, 255 miles from Martinez.
CHARLES R. McCORMICK, Everett for New York, 75 miles south of San Francisco.
MAHUKONA, Hilo for San Francisco, 69 miles from San Francisco.
ATLANTIC, Everett for San Francisco, 80 miles south of Eureka.
MANUKAI, San Francisco for Bellingham, 209 miles north of San Francisco.
ROBERT JOHNSON, Newport for San Francisco, bar bound at Newport.
RUTH ALEXANDER, San Francisco for Victoria, 271 miles from Victoria.
ADMIRAL SCHLEY, Portland for San Francisco, 366 miles from San Francisco.
DELROSA, left San Francisco for Tacoma, 1:30 p.m.
IWATERSAN MARU, San Francisco for Portland, 80 miles from San Francisco.
SHINYO MARU, Yokohama for San Francisco, 730 miles west of San Francisco.
WAITEMATA, Wellington for San Francisco, 475 miles from San Francisco.
CACIQUE, Los Angeles for San Francisco, 250 miles south of San Francisco.
GEORGE H. JONES, Vancouver for Los Angeles, 167 miles from San Francisco.
SACHEM, Los Angeles for San Francisco, 200 miles, south of San Francisco.
THOMAS, Honolulu for Manila, 165 miles west of Honolulu.

8 p.m., December 15

WEST CARMONA, Los Angeles for Yokohama, 4397 miles west of Los Angeles.
WEST FARALON, Kobe for Shanghai, 20 miles from Kobe.
COLUMBIA, New York for San Francisco, 462 miles from New York.
PRESIDENT TAFT, Shanghai for Kobe, 488 miles from Kobe.
COALINGA, Port San Luis for Honolulu, arrived Honolulu, 6:45 p.m.
VENTURA, San Francisco for Sydney, 4044 miles southwest of San Francisco.
EMIDIO, Thames Haven for Los Angeles, 1300 miles west of Thamesharen, Eng.
KROONLAND, New York for Los Angeles, 3720 miles south of Los Angeles, noon.
FAIRFIELD CITY, Los Angeles for Manila, 1949 miles west of Los Angeles, noon.
VICTORIOUS, Galveston for Kobe, 1619 miles west of Los Angeles, noon.
NARRO, Los Angeles for Kobe, 5543 miles west of Los Angeles, noon.
ELKRIDGE, Portland for Yokohama, 1561 miles west of Columbia River.
HANAWA, Portland for Yokohama, 1553 miles west of Columbia River.
THOMAS, Honolulu for Guam, 40 miles west of Honolulu.
WAWALLONA, Portland for Yokohama, 1559 miles west of Columbia River.

8 p.m., December 16

CALAWAII, Los Angeles for Honolulu, 415 miles southwest of Los Angeles.
S. W. BAXTER, Vancouver, B. C., for Los Angeles, 240 miles north of Los Angeles.
NORRASKAIN, Bellingham for San Francisco, 307 miles northwest of San Francisco lightship.
J. A. MOFFETT, JR., Los Angeles for New York, 2175 miles northwest of Balboa, noon.
WEST GREYLOCK, New York for San Francisco, 418 miles south of San Francisco, noon.
HARRY LUCKENBACH, Seattle for San Francisco, 248 miles north of San Francisco, noon.
PROVIDENCIA, Tacoma for San Francisco, 270 miles north of San Francisco.
W. S. PORTER, Seattle for Port Costa, 816 miles from Seattle.
OLYMPIC, Westport for Los Angeles, 453 miles north of Los Angeles.
HORACE X. BAXTER, Los Angeles for Nanimo, B. C., 220 miles north of Los Angeles.
WILLAMETTE, San Francisco for Portland, 181 miles north of San Francisco.
FRANK G. DRUM, Los Angeles for Avon, 25 miles north of Los Angeles.
HARVARD, Los Angeles for San Francisco, 79 miles north of Los Angeles.

SUES FOR $266,661.12 ALLEGED DUE ON NOTES

VISALIA, Dec. 16.—The Pacific States Corporation, owners of the Tagus Ranch, between Visalia and Tulare on the main line of the State highway, has filed suit for $266,661.12, all on promissory notes alleged to have been given by the Vogue Company of Los Angeles. The suit is directed against six stockholders of the company and asks $162,083.03 from H. C. Merritt, $66,865.89 from B. W. Marks, $17,652.40 from Arthur Levy, $13,373.32 from J. E. Kelly, 4011.95 from San Lazinsky, and $2674.63 from R. W. Burgess.

LAST DAYS OF AUTHOR'S WIFE TOLD

Unable to Arrange Her Affairs Properly, State Advices From Peking

Although no word was received yesterday by Maj. Rupert Hughes from China concerning the disposition of the body of his wife, Adelaide Hughes, who killed herself last week at Haipong, Indo-China, light was thrown on the tragedy by dispatches from Peking. It is feared the French authorities may hinder removal of the body.
Mrs. Hughes left Peking the 5th inst., against the protest of her physician, and she suffered severe mental depressions, the dispatches stated, bearing out the theory of her husband as to the cause of her act. She was said to have recovered from her last attack after several days in a Peking hospital.
When she left Peking she was unable, the dispatch stated, to arrange her affairs properly and arrived at the station with only her ticket to Shanghai and no money. She is also said to have lost a considerable portion of her baggage.
En route to Haipong, Mrs. Hughes is thought to have discovered that she would be unable to land at Saigon because her passport had not been properly vised. She is reported to have telegraphed to Peking requesting a change of steamers to Singapore.
She is said to have developed a severe affection of the ear after she left Peking and to have feared a painful operation. Her troubles were said to have been related in a telegram to a friend in Peking.
While in Peking Mrs. Hughes lived in a beautifully appointed residence in the Chinese section. She was writing a photoplay of Manchu court life and was working on a book of poems.
She is said to have told friends the reason for leaving Peking was that her husband had written her the motion-picture business was unsettled and that it was a bad time to attempt production. She said she expected to write her way round to Europe, where she was to have met her husband in Paris, possibly returning to Peking in the spring.

DIRECTORS ELECTED

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE]

BURBANK, Dec. 16. — William Schmeisel, J. H. Barnum and C. H. Kline have been elected members of the board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce, to fill vacancies created by resignations. Officers for the year 1924 will be elected at a meeting to be held Wednesday evening.

Glendora Nine Cops Tilt From Colton Outfit

Glendora defeated the Colton Centrals, 6 to 3, in a game yesterday played on the Glendora diamond. Brumfield of Glendora bested Hank Cruz of the Centrals in a good mound duel, although both hurlers were wild and issued ten passes between them.
Glendora sewed up the contest with a wild, five-run rally in the fourth inning, but added another run for good measure in the fifth inning. Colton also scored once in the fifth inning and nicked Brumfield for its final two tallies in the eighth inning. Guter's hitting in the pinches for Glendora featured, while Phillips, Glendora right fielder, pulled off two spectacular catches. The score:

COLTON CENTRALS	AB	R	H	O	A
Martinez,3b	4	0	0	1	2
Lopez,ss	4	1	1	2	3
A Cruz,c	3	0	1	10	0
Neyrete,1b	4	0	1	7	0
Garcia,2b	4	0	0	0	2
Reese,cf	4	1	1	0	0
Silva,lf	4	0	2	1	0
Casales,rf	4	0	0	2	0
Cruz,p	3	0	1	1	0
P.Cruz,cf	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	36	3	6	24	8

GLENDORA	AB	R	H	O	A
Young,2b	5	1	1	2	2
Nicholas,ss	4	1	1	1	4
Poeche,lf	4	0	0	1	0
Myers,3b	3	0	1	0	2
Lugo,1b	4	0	1	12	0
Hall,cf	4	1	1	1	0
Phillips,rf	3	1	2	0	0
Guter,c	4	2	2	9	2
B'Enki,p	4	0	1	0	0
Totals	35	6	9	27	10

SCORE BY INNINGS

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
Colton Centrals	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0		3
Base hits	2	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	1		6
Glendora	0	0	0	0	5	1	0	0	2		8
Base hits	0	1	2	0	1	2	0	1	2		9

SUMMARY

Errors—Lopez, Young, Lugo. Innings pitched—By Brumfield 9; Cruz 4. Credit victory to Brumfield. Charge defeat to Cruz. Struck out—By Brumfield 6; Cruz 3. Bases on balls—Off Brumfield 5; Cruz 5. Hit by pitched ball—Myers, Reese. Stolen bases—Myers, Nicholas, Phillips, Guter, 2. Sacrifice hit—Young. Time of game—1hr. 45min.

OIL DERRICK BURNS

Fire is at Abandoned Well in Signal Hill Field

By a "Times" Staff Correspondent

LONG BEACH, Dec. 16. — The derrick of Newman No. 1, an abandoned oil well on Anderson street, near Atlantic avenue, in the Signal Hill field, caught fire tonight and was destroyed. The fire did not endanger other property as there was nothing near enough.
The well and derrick were owned by Cook & Harpster of 713 Pacific-Southwest Bank Building here.

VERDICT REVERSED

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

MILWAUKEE, Dec. 16.—The Supreme Court reversed the decision of a jury in municipal court at Racine which found Dr. A. M. Foster of that city guilty of manslaughter in the second degree, following an alleged illegal operation. The verdict was returned by a jury on December 31, 1922, and an appeal was taken to the Supreme Court.

SECURITIES AT LONDON SHADE OFF

Weakness of Market is Attributed to Muddled Political Affairs

BY ROBERT STEELE

[BY CABLE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

LONDON, Dec. 16.—Political uncertainties and the growing shadow of an impending new government tended to force down securities on the London stock market last week. Despite futile rallies, the various sections at the close were generally listed lower. One hopeful suggestion was noted in the American acquiesence to the reparations commission's impending inquiry into Germany's financial condition. British funds fluctuated irregularly, but after each show, it closed easy. Mexicans were sold freely on the revolutionary situation.
Prices of the leading industrials tapered off in the domestic political outlook. Tobaccos, for instance, were fresh prey on disappointed investors and other specialties met similar direction. The reparation remains chief theme. Some experts meeting there are signs of an impasse in the Import and Export announced by the Bank of were not altogether tory.
Iron and steels both lower level. Oils were tive, but suffered from valling gloom.

REAPPORTIONING DELEGATES SO

[BY A. P. WIRE]

WASHINGTON, Dec. reapportionment of the the Republican national vision founded on the committee was announced in a statement by Representative Crampton, chief clerk of the committee, who will be succeeded. Mr. Crampton national committee for er to change the basis formerly based on the tion, "Increase the number of delegates each state is entitled to by party rules."

Harrison case to be called tomorrow.

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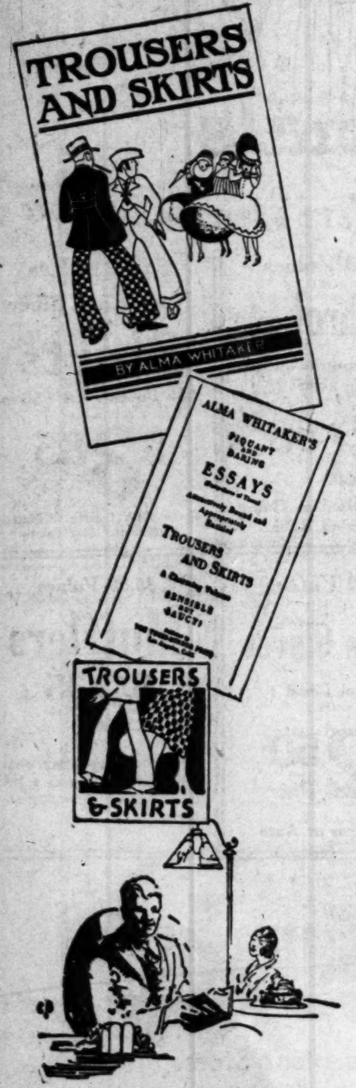

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Iron and steels both were
lower level. Oils were fairly
tive, but suffered from the
vailing gloom.

REAPPORTIONMENT OF
DELEGATES SCORE

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]
WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—
reapportionment of
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STRENUOUS TRACK COMPETITION LOOMS IN PACIFIC COAST CONFERENCE

...RDS PREPARE ...OR HARD SIEGE

...ds Galore Expected to ...ke by the Boards

...ord Athletes Liable to ...rample Over Bears

...Alumni Boast Best Team ...Since World War

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]
...NFORD UNIVERSITY, Dec. ... the "Big Three" of ... represented by the ... teams they have been ... in years, prospects ... contested track sea... bright. Stanford fans are ... contemplating beautiful ... shattered records of ... there are apt to be many ... ing. The University of ... California boasts a well-... team, with stars of the ... scattered through the ... California will turn out ... her usual strong teams.

... Walter Christie expects to ... outfit fully as strong as ... which have won the ... championships for the ... years, and if he does ... can be expected of a ... U.S.C. will be strong, weak ... the distances, but this ... is apt to be fatal in ... with Stanford and ... The Cardinals seem ... to topple the Bear off ...

BALANCED TEAM

... is yet a bit early to accu... estimate probable strength, ... Coach R. L. Templeton has ... lined a program of fall ... on the farm, dopesters ... time than the usual line on ... ...ford has a better balanced ... of runners, from the sprints ... mile, than it has known ... for a period. ... cross country season will be a bad ... for many dash men, as there ... number of really good 100 ... yard athletes who will not ... in place in important ... This the California-Stan... competition in the century ... for instance, where five men ... have made the distance in ... heats flat will compete, and ... the only three can place. ... Farnsworth for Chris... and Crothell Hale and Hart... for Stanford have all been ... in cross time. The com... in this event will be even ... than in 1922 when Capt. ... of California, her ... was left in fourth ... the time. The same men ... in the 220, in which ... holds the California ... record. And there are ... of average sprinters who ... to edge in, as Ga... and Clark of Stanford. ... Stanford is strong in ... with "Swede" Leist... Hammond out as the ... timber toppers late ... and Hal Bolen, who holds ... honors record in the high ... Coleman beat all of the ... hurdlers at the ... meet in Chicago last ...

...RN IN QUARTER
... Van Judah, Storie, Daly, ... Coverly and Mixon will ...

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GOLF GOSSIP
by Charles West

Another hole in one was chalked up yesterday when H. P. Hurford's tee shot trickled into the cup on the third green at the California Country Club. Hurford's ball was perfectly hit, bounced on the green, and disappeared, much to the delight of Hurford. The hole measurers 144 yards.

The California links were used by a large number of members yesterday, according to Professional Jack Stone. C. M. Smith is still leading in the Eugene Webb Trophy tournament, with R. V. Jones second. Play for the cup will continue next week-end.

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Mrs. L. T. Barneson and Dr. Guy Cochran captured the honors in yesterday's mixed foursomes at the Los Angeles Country Club, scoring 91-18-73. Mr. and Mrs. Allen Shore were second with 103-24-79, while Mrs. George Weber and Fred Leibonde, Jr., shared third place with Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Williams, the former team turning in a card of 84-4-80, while the latter scored 91-11-80.

An invitational ball sweepstakes, open to all women members of the Southern California Golf Association, will be held on the Los Angeles Country Club links today.

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Final rounds in the club class championships at the Wilshire Country Club were played yesterday, young Joe Kelly cornering the highest honors by defeating Frank Delcot, 1 up in 19 holes, after a tough argument in class A, flight A.

Other results follow: Classes A, flight B, E. Henderson defeated Johnny Hodge, 1 up in 20 holes. Class B, flight A, J. A. McMenamy, defeated Frank Harris, 1 up; class B, flight B, W. L. Frost defeated A. B. Hodges, 5 and 4; Class C, H. R. Fink defeated C. M. Hutchinson, 4 and 3.

Saturday a two-ball, best-ball sweepstakes, match play against par, occupied the attention of the Wilshire golfers. Elmer Ralphs and C. G. Albright winning in class A, even with par, while S. H. Ellis and O. W. Butler finished all square with par for the glory in class B.

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Ties were in order at Hillcrest yesterday, both first and second hoifors in a blind bogey sweepstakes being split three ways. Blind bogey was 72, and Hildesheim, Pelton and Gaffa took first place, while J. Loeb, F. Katz, J. Katz and F. Barth divided second place.

About sixty players competed in the event, according to Professional Ed Gayer.

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Close competition marked

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OVERSEAS BOW TO MERCURIES

Athletic Club Soccerites Cop 8-to-1 Contest

Sons of St. George Trip Over Scots by 1 to 0

First Round of Trophy Play After New Year's

More than 1200 soccer football fans trekked out to Washington Park yesterday to witness the double-header and all were rewarded by the high-class games pulled off. The Los Angeles Athletic Club eleven became more entrenched in the first place of the league standings by defeating the Overseas squad in the opener by a score of 8 to 1. In the afterpiece the Sons of St. George, runners up for the championship, nosed out the fighting Scots to the tune of 1 to 0.

GAINS POPULARITY

The soccer season is approaching the stage when it is most popular with fans and players alike. Teams have shaken off their staleness and are in great shape for the ever popular cup-ties. The first round of play for the handsome Spalding trophy is scheduled to start shortly after the New Year. Two more league games are left on the routine of the A League fixtures and these will feature the two top teams in strenuous battles with those who question their right to the leadership.

Next comes the star games of the soccer year, the State championship and the intercity matches between the cream of the Northern California players and the pick of the San Francisco league against teams representative of Southern California and Los Angeles. These matches will be played at Washington Park on December 30 and January 1 and should prove to be among the most attractive of sporting events of the year-end.

The Northern California Soccer Association has been going great guns for years, thanks to great public support. Teams of the south have not been organized as long and the public support, though good, leaves much room for improvement. As star games will show the locals can place elevens into the field capable of beating anything that San Francisco can ship down and those of the public to whom the sport of soccer is new should make it a point to attend at least one of these two games.

After San Francisco and company have been sent back with their horns drawn in the cup-ties will start. These will increase in popularity until the climax will find the two best or luckiest teams out of the thirteen in the final round. This match may be staged at the Coliseum.

FEW REALIZE

Few people realize the area which soccer embraces. It is by far the most popular of international sports though we out here do not realize it. There is hardly a country of any size which does not possess at least a few organized leagues who, in turn, are affiliated with the international parent body. More people watch soccer than any other sport, even horse racing. This statement may sound sweeping but nevertheless statistics prove it. Southern California seems to be one of the last places to take it up and though great headway has been made, the game will not take its proper place at the head of all-winter sports until schools and colleges introduce it into their curriculum.

The standings:

"A" LEAGUE

Teams—	P.	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
L. A. A. C.	9	8	0	1	17
Sons of St. George	9	6	1	2	14
L. A. United	9	4	4	1	9
Scots	9	4	4	1	9
L. R. United	9	3	5	1	7
Overseas	9	3	7	0	6

"B" LEAGUE

Teams—	P.	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
L. R. Athletic	7	6	1	0	12
Shell Oil	7	5	1	1	11
Burr Creamery	7	5	1	1	11
Rangers	8	4	3	1	9
Pasadena	8	3	4	1	7
Dana	8	2	5	1	5
Marrara	8	0	7	0	0

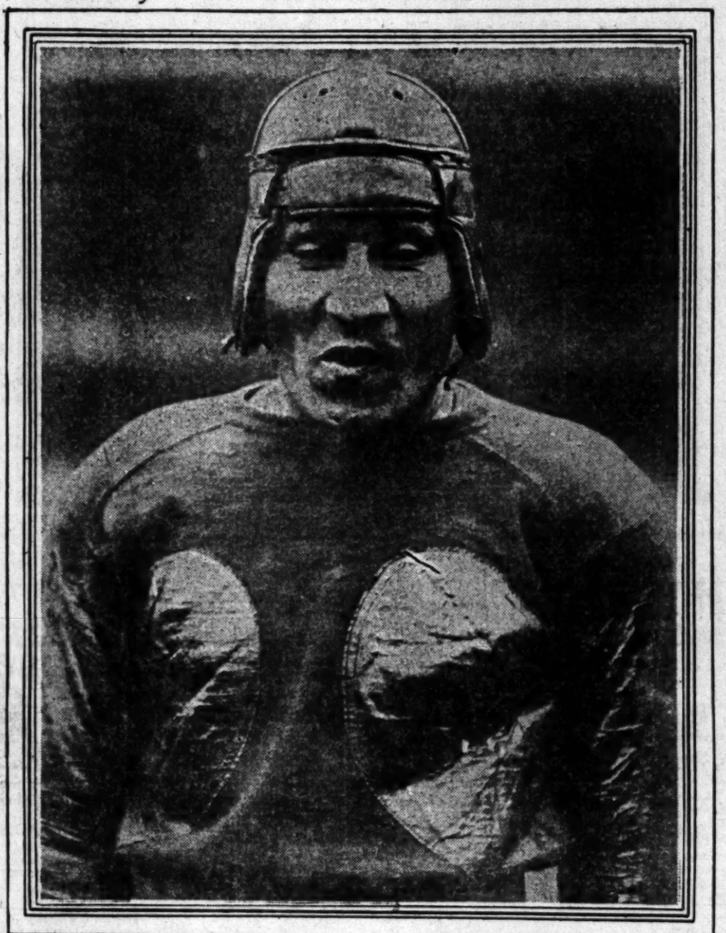
Two points for a win; one point for a draw.
Yesterday's results:
L. A. A. C. 8; Overseas, 1.
Sons of St. George, 1; Scots 0.
L. R. United 2; L. A. United 0.
Burr Creamery 1; Dana 0.
Rangers 3; Pasadena 1.

DEMPSEY LEAVES THE WICKED CITY

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]
NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—Jack Dempsey will shake the dust of the city from his feet Tuesday and repair to the seclusion of Freddie Welch's farm on the outskirts of Summit, N. J. The world's heavyweight champion today announced his plans to establish himself in suburban New Jersey where he will not be troubled with the life. Dempsey has been a stickler for country life and noise and strife of big-city semiseclusion since he won the title from Willard and welcomes the chance to enjoy the quiet of Welsh's establishment. The title holder will remain at Welsh's farm for an indefinite period and will devote some of his time each day to exercises calculated to keep him fit.

STAR OF HASKELL INDIAN ELEVEN

Selected by Walter Eckersall on His All-Western Team



Capt. John Levi in All His Manly Beauty

[World Wide Photo]

John Levi, the handsome individual shown in the above photograph, will appear here Christmas Day with the Haskell Indians, who are to play the Olympic Club from San Francisco. Levi is regarded by eastern experts as the equal of Jim Thorpe, great Carlisle Indian star of a few years ago. The Haskell player holds down the fullback position and in spite of his 208 pounds is extremely fast. Maybe Brick Muller, et al, will have a unpleasant afternoon trying to stop Mr. Levi.

Bangtails Run True to Form in Border Meet

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]
SAN DIEGO, Dec. 16.—Today, for practically the first time this season horses ran somewhere near to form, and with two exceptions favorites brought home the bacon.

Lawrence Manning, in the seventh, exceeded expectations in beating Car, and Norfield in the third upset most calculations when he came under the wire first.

In the feature event Feylance came from behind to win by a length from Blind Baggage. The stellar performer of the Ross stables was absolutely played off the boards, because of the fact that he possesses class, and has shown it in every race to date.

An unusually large Sunday crowd witnessed the first eight-race program of the season. Summaries:

First race, one mile and seventy yards. Moro Castle (Walls,) won; Drifting (Barnes,) second; Regdo (Martinez,) third. Time 1:47 2-5.

Second race, five furlongs. Helen Cook (Erickson,) won; Queen Cathrine (Sharpe,) second; Fulasti (Legers,) third. Time 1:07.

Third race, five furlongs. Norfield (Main,) won; Hereafter (Armstrong,) second; L. Genzy (Walls,) third. Time 1:02 1-5.

Fourth race, one and one-eighth miles. Paula Shay (Mallen,) won; All Over (Martinez,) second. John S. Reardon (E. Pator,) third. Time 1:52.

Fifth race, one mile and one-sixteenth. Apricot (Wood,) won; Woodie Montgomery (Martinez,) second; Wylie (Erickson,) third. Time 1:48 2-5.

Sixth race, five and one-half furlongs. Feylance (Walls,) won; Blind Baggage (Cantrell,) second; Sir Frank (Deford,) third. Time 1:06 4-5.

Seventh race, mile and one-eighth. Lawrence Manning (Barnes,) won; Car (Creery,) second; Laura Cochran (Claver,) third. Time 1:54 4-5.

Eighth race, mile and seventy yards. Tea Can (Erickson,) won; Dervolia (McKnight,) second; Peter Pirson (Wood,) third. Time 1:35 1-5.

YOUNG FARRELL AND RAMIES WILL MEET

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]
SAN FERNANDO, Dec. 16.—It is expected to rain boxing gloves in the pavilion Wednesday night when Young Farrell of Vernon and Pico Ramies, the southpaw cyclone, mingle at 116 pounds in the main pre-Christmas event. Heavier weights will figure in the semi-wind-up at 150 pounds, this event being between Sailor Foster of San Pedro slugging fame and Mike Paulson, whose forwarding address is New York City. Ed McCarthy of San Pedro and Bud Cicorini, hailing from Boyle Heights, are matched at 135 pounds. Joe Blanda and Young Morey, who mauled it out last week here, will go again. Tom Agiura, the Firpo of Pacoima, Wash., will stage a return engagement with Bill McGreer, the San Fernando favorite. Kid Ponce, who delights in being hailed as the knockout boy of the Mission City, will attempt to take Young Taylor's measure.

ARE you one of those rabid football fans who has never been fortunate enough to see the great Jim Thorpe, regarded by many of the finest grid player of all time, in action on the tanbark? If so, Santa Claus is going to be good to you within the next few days, provided, of course you buy a ticket to the game between the Haskell Indians and the Olympic Club scheduled for Christmas Day, for the Eastern machine boasts a star player who is ranked by experts as the equal of the former Carlisle Indian.

John Levi is the gentleman in question, and from all reports John is some big noise. Just to impress the general public with one estimate of his usefulness as a grid player, we disclose the fact that Walter Eckerall, who is a close rival of Walter Camp in picking all-star teams, selected the mighty Levi to play fullback on his all-Western eleven. And it wasn't the second or third team at that, but right in the backfield with Grange, the unanimous choice of all sport writers for an all-American halfback position, Miller, Notre Dame star, and Hoge Workman, brilliant Ohio State quarterback. Eckersall considers Levi good enough to play alongside of these birds, and that's saying quit a bit.

Levi is a giant, standing well over six feet and weighing 208, pounds. Unlike most heavy men, however, he is exceptionally fast, running the high hurdles in the phenomenal time of 15 1-5 seconds, which is as fast as any Southern California hurdler can negotiate the race. He does the century in :10 1-5 seconds, and can heave the discus close to 140 feet.

It is believed by those who have followed the gridiron game closely for the past fifteen years that Levi's work will excell that of Jim Thorpe, an achievement not easily accomplished. He is a triple-threat man, and is on record as one of the longest forward passers in the game. Reports after the game with Minnesota, which the Indians lost by 1 point, 13 to 12 being the score, indicated that Levi was practically the whole show, his play all but winning the contest for the Redskins. He was also the feature of the battle at New York when the Quantico Marines were held to a 14-to-14 tie. It was in this game that critics rated him as greater than Thorpe

His tremendous speed makes him a wonderful defensive player and in backing up the line Levi has few equals.

The Dempsey-Carpentier and the Dempsey-Firpo fights are the only bouts in history that have drawn gross receipts of more than $1,000,000.

Oscar Lane Is Leader in Fly Casting Event

Oscar Lane staged a field day at the weekly tournament of the Los Angeles Fly and Bait Casting Club at Lincoln Park yesterday by taking five first places.

The results follow:

DRY FLY ACCURACY

Oscar Lane	.99	7-15	H. A. Richey	.98	2-15
F. K. Dugan	.99	3-15	Sherman Baker	.97	0-15
F. Lucerani	.96	13-15	C. A. Griffis	.96	13-15
E. J. Lesley	.96	7-15	Oscar Klein	.94	5-15

FLY ACCURACY

F. K. Dugan	.99	10-15	Sherman Baker	.96	2-15
Oscar Lane	.98	13-15	J. F. Lucerani	.97	1-15
H. A. Richey	.96	10-15	Oscar Klein	.96	5-15
E. J. Lesley	.96	10-15	C. A. Griffis	.96	

F. K. Dugan broke dish record; odd record, 99 9-15.

ONE-HALF-OUNCE DISTANCE

Oscar Lane	.188ft.	11-in.	H. Richey	.77ft.	7-in.
S. Baker	.136ft.	1-in.	E. Lesley	.77ft.	7-in.
J. Lucerani	.153ft.	2-in.	O. Klein	.76ft.	8-in.
C. Griffis	.105ft.	4-in.	F. Dugan	.68ft.	1-in.

FIVE-EIGHTHS PLUG DISTANCE

Oscar Lane	.156ft.	2-in.	E. Lesley	.118ft.	9-in.
F. Dugan	.141ft.	5-in.	O. Klein	.99ft.	9-in.
S. Baker	.126ft.	8-in.	H. Richey	.81ft.	6-in.
J. Lucerani	.123ft.	7-in.	C. Griffis	.53ft.	7-in.

ONE-HALF-OUNCE ACCURACY

Oscar Lane	.97	9-10	C. A. Griffis	.97	4-10
F. K. Dugan	.97	6-10	J. F. Lucerani	.97	4-10
E. J. Lesley	.97	5-10	Sherman Baker	.96	
H. A. Richey	.97	4-10	Oscar Klein	.94	

FIVE-EIGHTHS PLUG ACCURACY

Oscar Lane	.99	6-10	J. F. Lucerani	.98	3-10
H. A. Richey	.98	9-10	F. K. Dugan	.98	
E. J. Lesley	.98	7-10	C. A. Griffis	.96	6-10
Sherman Baker	.98	5-10	Oscar Klein	.96	3-10

FLY DISTANCE

F. K. Dugan	.82ft.	Oscar Lane	.71ft.	8-in.
H. A. Richey	.79ft.	S. Baker	.71ft.	6-in.
J. Lucerani	.74ft.	8-in.	E. J. Lesley	.68ft.	4-in.

J. F. Lucerani won turkey handicap event.

SELMA LEGION WARRIORS WIN

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]
SELMA, Dec. 16.—The Selma Legion football team today ran up its total points scored against opposing teams this season, defeating the Arroyo Grande Legion team, Coast champions, for the second time this season by a score of 67 to 0. Unable to secure a game for today with San Bernardino or Riverside Legion teams, claimants to the Legion championship in Southern California, the Arroyo Grande team was brought here for a second game. Coach Baily, former Texas A. and M. star, used every man on his squad.

NO REST FOR THE HUSKIES

Bagshaw Takes Men on a Long Sabbath Hike

Washington Athletes Get an Earful About Navy

Cornell Scout Rates Middies as Dangerous Team

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]
SEATTLE, Dec. 16.—The University of Washington football team went walking today. Sunday being a day of rest from actual practice, Coach Bagshaw suggested the hike which played a prominent part in the early season work of the squad and it was unanimously accepted.

Clad in heavy sweaters and old clothing, the Huskies trudged ten miles over the pavements to the east of the campus, returning to a shower and a hot dinner at their various houses immediately afterward.

Coach Bagshaw, full of energy himself, is a great believer in getting his men out of bed early on Sunday morning, whether they have played the day before or not. Regular habits and exercise overcome many of the ills which befall football players on the field, he declares.

STRAIGHT DOPE

Mike Hunt, assistant coach at Cornell and a former Washington end, gave the Huskies food for thought today with some information as to the Navy team that rates the eastern eleven in a very promising light. Cornell had no game with the Navy, but did play an opponent or two that the Navy also took on so that the Cornell scouts saw considerable of the Annapolis eleven.

"The Navy line is big and fast and they charge as a unit," he declared. "When a line is working that way it has power. If any one around these parts has an idea that the Folwell machine is a set-up for Washington or any other Coast eleven, that person is very much mistaken.

ONE OF BEST

"Understand, I think western football is just as fast as the eastern brand, but I rate the Navy as one of the best in the East and feel that Washington will have to be in fine shape and play sixty minutes of hard football if it is to defeat the Folwell team."

Hunt is spending the winter in these parts, reporting at Cornell again in the spring, as Gilmore Doble's right-hand man.

OLYMPIC SWIMMING TRIALS ON FOR JUNE

The swimming committee of the A.A.U. will hold the Olympic tryouts on June 14, the same day the track and field tryouts occur at Harvard stadium. The women's swimming races will take place in New York and the men's contests in Indianapolis.

WESTBROOK IS EASY VICTOR

Downs Upton Sinclair in Net Tourney at Pasadena

Features With Fast Tennis in Doubles Match

Entries for Mixed Events Close December 27

By a "Times" Staff Correspondent
PASADENA, Dec. 16.—Walter Westbrook, former Canadian singles tennis champion, proved the sensation of the Huntington Hotel's courts today, when he played two rapid-fire matches in Pasadena's annual midwinter tennis tournament, which is now under way.

In the first contest Westbrook met Upton Sinclair, considered one of the best tennis players in these parts, in a gruelling battle that pleased the large gallery of fans to no little extent. Westbrook beat Sinclair at his own game, it might be said, both players even and steady, with Westbrook always shining when a point was needed. The score for the singles match was 6-1, 6-3.

Westbrook was again the center of attraction this afternoon, when, coupled with Steve Royce, he severely trounced Ledyard and Conrad. The score of 8-6, 6-2, was considered the upset of the day, as Ledyard and Conrad were doped to win easily. Westbrook was all over the courts in this match and Royce seldom touched the ball.

Second rounds of the junior singles were played, with Bob Kohler, favorite, advancing with apparent ease. He defeated F. Ashley in the principal play, 6-3, 10-8.

The tournament, which is being staged under the auspices of the Pasadena Tennis Club, and under the personal direction of Mercer Beasley, tennis professional, is meeting with great success. Beasley has secured Ted Mertz, this year's captain of Stanford University's tennis team, and Dick Hinkley, another star, to appear in an exhibition match the latter part of this month. Their opponents have not yet been chosen.

Entry list for the mixed doubles will remain open until the 27th inst., according to Mr. Beasley.

Today's results in the men's singles are:

R. Walter Westbrook defeated Upton Sinclair, 6-1, 6-3; G. P. Clark defeated V. K. Morgan, 6-4, 6-1, 6-2; Hobert Allen defeated J. Neu, 6-3, 6-4; Steve Royce won by default from J. Van Prass, and George Throop won by default from R. Frey.

In the doubles played Herb Hahn and D. Dennell defeated the Van Prass brothers by default. Westbrook and Royce defeated Ledyard and Conrad, 6-4, 6-2.

Results of the junior singles, second round—J. Tyler won by default from M. Van Prass; A. E. Hill won from Tyler by default; Kohler defeated F. Ashley, 6-3, 10-8.

GEM BROKER ROBBED

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]
ST. LOUIS (Mo.) Dec. 16.—Morris Singer, 30 years of age, a diamond broker, was robbed of rings, bracelets and other jewelry and uncut gems valued at about $30,000 and between $400 and $500 in cash by two bandits who entered his establishment in the business section of the city early last night. The bandits escaped.

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Hughes Ice Creams Upset Pasadena Eagles, 7 to 5; Hollywood Blanks Montebello

BONELLY STOPS LEADING SQUAD

Orange Belt Pace Setters Suffer First Loss

Charley Bench Biffed Hard in Early Innings

Result of Game Livens Up Race for Gonfalon

The Hughes Ice Creams, with Dick Bonelly hurling splendid ball for them, trounced the league-leading and heretofore undefeated Pasadena Eagles, 7 to 5 at Tournament Park in the big feature of yesterday's round of play in the Greater Southern California Baseball Association.

Bonelly allowed the hard-hitting Eagles but five hits and was almost invincible except in the fourth when two hits, a walk and some errors allowed the Eagles four runs. The Hughes Ice Creams found Charley Bench for five runs in the first two innings and score their other markers in the fourth and seventh frames. Manager Al Rodgers, Schilz, Bonelly and Hastings each got two singles for the winners.

Yesterday's defeat of the Eagles now makes the race for the Orange Belt League pennant much more interesting as four clubs now have a chance to win the gonfalon in the remaining two weeks of the schedule. The score:

PASADENA	AB	R	H	O	A
Strland,ss	3	1	1	0	0
Bahr,lf	4	0	0	0	0
D.Cox,2b	4	0	1	2	0
D.Cox,c	4	0	1	12	0
M'Dowell,2b	4	0	0	1	2
J.Cox,cf	3	1	1	2	0
Bench,rf	3	1	1	1	0
Little,1b	3	1	0	7	0
Bench,c	3	0	1	2	0
T.Cox,r	1	0	0	0	0
S.Cox,r	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	35	5	5	24	0

HUGHES ICE CREAM	AB	R	H	O	A
A'strong,ss	5	0	0	3	2
M.Schilz,rf	4	2	1	2	0
Rodgers,2b	5	1	2	0	1
N.Schilz,3b	4	1	2	1	2
Broody,lf	4	1	1	1	0
Bonelly,p	4	1	2	0	3
Bryan,cf	4	0	0	2	0
Porter,1b	3	1	1	10	0
Hastings,c	4	0	1	4	0
Totals	35	7	11	27	7

x—L. Cox batted for Bryan in 9th.
x—S. Cox batted for Bench in 9th.

SCORE BY INNINGS

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Pasadena	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	1	—5
Base hits	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	1	0	—5
Hughes	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	1	3	—7
Base hits	1	1	0	2	0	1	2	1	2	—11

Errors—Strickland, D. Cox, Armstrong, M. Schilz, N. Schilz, Bonelly. Struck out—By Bonelly 3; Bench 11. Bases on balls—Off Bonelly 3; Bench 1. Hit by pitched ball—M. Schilz. Stolen bases—Broody, Two-base hits—Rodgers, Broody, M. Schilz, N. Schilz, Hastings. Sacrifice hits—Armstrong to Porter; J. Cox to D. Cox. Time of game—1hr. 50min. Umpire—Beebe.

Lewis Deals Hill Club to Another Win

"Smiles" Lewis, who has a habit of pitching the Hill Athletic Club nine to victory every Sunday, turned in his weekly win yesterday when he held La Habra to seven hits. The Hill A.C. won by a score of 13 to 7, after some bad fielding almost nullified the good mound work of Lewis.

It was the Hill squad's fourth straight victory. The Hill sluggers started out with a rush and drove across six runs in the three innings, but after that they dozed on the job until the two final frames when they started hitting the ball again and accounted for six more markers.

Michel, shortstop for the La Habra nine, hit a home run, while Tynan, right fielder for the losers, got a triple, double and single in four times at bat. However, these two were the only ones to do much hitting for La Habra. D. Sigler and C. Sigler did the best hitting for Hill A.C., although Lewis delivered a timely triple. As a side attraction the Hill A.C. dugout caved in on the players but no one was hurt. Score:

HILL A. C.	AB	R	H	O	A
D.Sigler,2b	5	1	2	1	0
White,rf	5	1	1	2	0
C.Sigler,ss	6	1	2	1	7
Lewis,p	6	2	3	0	3
Gridley,cf	5	1	1	1	0
Overholser,1b	5	2	2	11	0
C'Battell,lf	3	2	1	0	0
Palmero,c	3	2	1	6	0
Lewis,s	4	0	0	2	3
George,3b	3	1	1	0	0
Burks,p	3	0	1	0	0
Totals	49	13	15	27	13

LA HABRA	AB	R	H	O	A
Michel,ss	5	1	2	2	0
T'man,3b-p	4	1	0	1	3
Kindle,1b	4	0	0	9	0
Franklin,2b	4	0	0	2	2
Perkins,cf	3	1	1	1	0
Dunbar,rf	4	1	1	1	0
McWilliams,c	4	0	1	7	0
T'man,ss	4	1	3	3	0
Morris,3b	3	1	0	0	0
Hickok,p	1	0	0	0	0
Tapscott,p	2	1	0	0	2
Totals	35	7	7	27	10

2—Batted for White in 9th.

SCORE BY INNINGS

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Hill A. C.	0	2	1	0	0	1	0	4	5	—13
Base hits	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	—6
La Habra	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	2	2	—7
Base hits	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	2	2	—7

Errors—Michel, 2; Franklin, White, De Mazia. Innings pitched—By Lewis 9; Moore 1; Herman 1. Credit victory to Lewis. Charge defeat to Burks. Struck out—By Lewis 3; Moore 4; Herman 1. Hit by pitched ball—Perkins. Stolen bases—Michel, Franklin, Morris. Two-base hits—Michel, Three-base hits—Lewis, Gabriel, Tynan. Two-base hit—Tynan. Sacrifice hits—Lewis, White. Double plays—Michel to Kindle; D. Sigler to C. Sigler to Schneider. Time of game—1hr. 50min.

BELLFLOWER NOSES OUT FICKETT TEAM

After scoring five runs in the second inning and getting off to a good lead, Bellflower barely nosed out the W. H. Fickett Company nine, 8 to 6, after an exciting game played yesterday at Bellflower.

Burke, who pitched for the losers, buried a fine game except for the second inning, while Tapscott who relieved Hickok on the mound for Bellflower after the Fickett sluggers had chased over four runs in three innings, twirled shut-out ball up to the ninth. Smith, shortstop for Bellflower, was the star slugger of the game, getting a brace of doubles and two singles. Makin, also of Bellflower, hit a two-base hit and a single, while Second Baseman James of the Ficketts slammed out a double and a pair of singles in five times at bat. It was the fifth straight win for the Bellflower crew. Score:

W. H. FICKETT CO.	AB	R	H	O	A
Dalton,2b-c	4	1	1	3	1
Simmons,cf	5	1	1	2	0
McMillin,1b	5	0	0	7	0
James,c-2b	5	1	2	2	3
Simmons,rf	5	0	0	1	0
Mart,ss	3	0	1	2	3
Lawson,3b	3	1	1	1	2
George,2b	3	1	0	0	0
Burke,p	3	0	1	0	0
Totals	39	6	7	18	10

BELLFLOWER	AB	R	H	O	A
Neal,2b	4	1	1	1	3
Smith,ss	4	1	2	1	3
Makin,1b	4	2	2	8	0
Fulton,rf	4	1	1	1	0
Miller,3b	2	0	1	1	0
Showell,lf	3	0	1	1	0
Brandt,cf	3	1	1	2	0
McAdams,c	4	0	0	12	0
Hickok,p	2	0	0	0	2
Tapscott,p	2	2	1	0	2
Totals	34	8	10	27	6

SCORE BY INNINGS

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
W. H. Fickett	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	—6
Base hits	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	—5
Bellflower	0	5	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	—8
Base hits	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	3	1	—8

Errors—Dalton, McMillan, Smith, 2; Fulton, McAdams. Innings pitched—By Hickok 3; Tapscott 6. Credit victory to Hickok. Charge defeat to Burke. Struck out—By Hickok 4; Tapscott 7; Burke 7. Bases on balls—Off Hickok 2; Tapscott 1; Burke 2. Hit by pitched ball—Mart by Tapscott; Miller and Smith by Burke. Stolen bases—Dalton, Lewis, Brandt, Hickok, Smith. Three-base hit—Miller. Two-base hits—James, Burke, Smith 2; Makin. Sacrifice hits—George, Fulton, Showell. Double play—James to Mart to McMillan. Time of game—2hrs. Umpires—Buckhorn and Brown.

BILLMAN SHUTS OUT EL MONTE

Irvine Walks Off With 6-to-0 Game; Salazar Gets Poor Support

"Red" Billman allowed El Monte but six scattered hits and pitched Irvine to a 6-to-0 victory yesterday on the Beanpickers' diamond. Only one El Monte player, Clairborn, could successfully solve Billman's slants. Clairborn got three hits but there was no other El Monte slugger to help him around the bases.

Salazar, who was on the mound for El Monte, hurled a fine game, striking out ten men and allowing only three hits but was given ragged support by his teammates. Billman whiffed eight El Monte batters.

Irvine scored first in the second inning when Thrig walked, went to third on an infield out and an error and came home on J. Aranbel's sacrifice fly. In the fifth inning Raney singled and came home on R. Mitchell's two-base hit. The final run came in the eighth when P. Aranbel walked and came home on two errors and an infield out. The only time El Monte threatened to score, a fast double play, Dallas to R. Mitchell to B. Mitchell, nipped the rally in the bud. The score:

EL MONTE	AB	R	H	O	A
Clairborn,ss	4	0	3	0	1
Jamrock,2b	3	0	0	2	0
Sorey,1b	4	0	1	8	1
Gos'lber,2b	3	0	1	1	2
Douglas,cf	4	0	1	0	0
L'ayrone,lf	3	0	0	0	0
Whitmore,c	3	0	0	12	0
Moss,rf	2	0	0	0	0
Salazar,p	1	0	0	0	2
Totals	30	0	6	24	5

IRVINE	AB	R	H	O	A
Raney,lf	4	1	2	1	0
Reiners,3b	4	0	1	1	0
R.M'chl,2b	4	0	1	4	0
Thrig,c	3	1	1	6	0
B.Ar'bel,rf	4	1	0	0	0
Dallas,ss	3	0	0	4	2
J.Ar'bel,cf	3	0	0	2	0
R.M'chl,1b	3	0	1	8	0
Billman,p	3	0	0	0	1
Totals	32	3	6	26	3

SCORE BY INNINGS

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
El Monte	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0
Irvine	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	3	—6

SUMMARY

Innings pitched—By Salazar 9; Billman 9. Credit victory to Billman. Charge defeat to Salazar. Struck out—By Salazar 10; Billman 8. Bases on balls—Off Salazar 2; Billman 7. Hit by pitched ball—Thrig. Stolen base—Dallas. Two-base hit—R. Mitchell. Sacrifice hits—Rodgers, J. Aranbel. Double play—Dallas to R. Mitchell to B. Mitchell. Time of game—1hr. 20min. Umpire—Caldwell.

Santa Barbara Cricket Squad Annexes Game

An interesting cricket game was played at Brookside Park, Pasadena, yesterday before a large and enthusiastic crowd. The Los Angeles and Santa Barbara squads met in a return contest and the latter team was again victorious.

Cricket is growing by leaps and bounds in the Southland and it is hoped that a league composed of six or seven teams will become a reality.

Following are the Santa Barbarans who led in the run column: J. Flint, 23 runs; J. Young, 16; A. Fowle, 13, and J. Turnbull, 12.

The Los Angeles cricksters' high score was registered by P. S. Marks, 44 (not out); R. R. Hutching, 29 and 18 in two innings; W. B. H. Blackwell, 18; L. Griffiths, 15 and 21 (not out) in two innings.

The bowling analysis:

SANTA BARBARA C. C.

1st Inning.	Balls	Maidens	Wickets	Runs
Creasey	40	0	3	20
Turnbull	42	0	3	19
Crewe	24	0	1	11
Flint	12	0	0	12
2nd Inning.	Balls	Maidens	Wickets	Runs
Creasey	36	0	2	28
Young	12	0	0	8
Rowis	24	0	3	21
Crewe	12	0	0	6
Flint	12	0	0	11

LOS ANGELES C. C.

1st Inning.	Balls	Maidens	Wickets	Runs
Everett	84	1	3	42
Archer	54	0	1	32
Creasy	30	0	0	23
Williamson	6	0	0	5
2nd Inning.	Balls	Maidens	Wickets	Runs
Everett	30	0	1	25
Creasy	30	0	1	8

WHITING-MEAD CUBS MANHANDLE CHINESE

The Whiting-Mead Cubs swamped the Los Angeles Chinese, 20 to 2, in a six-inning City League game played yesterday at Maier Park. Gould, who hurled for the Cubs, allowed the Chinese but two hits and blanked them until the final frame. An eight-run rally in the third inning put the game on ice for the Cubs. Molitor, Lawson, Gould and A. Howard were the hitting stars for the winners, while Kae got both of the hits made off Gould by the Chinese. Score:

WHITING-MEAD	AB	R	H	O	A
Molitor,2b	3	4	2	2	0
Lawson,ss	3	3	3	1	2
Gould,p	3	2	2	0	2
G.How'd,lf	3	2	1	2	0
Rice,c	4	1	1	8	0
A.How'd,cf	3	1	1	1	0
Harris,2b	4	1	1	0	1
Canby,rf	3	0	1	1	0
Holder,1b	3	1	1	7	0
Totals	35	20	16	18	6

L. A. CHINESE	AB	R	H	O	A
A.Chung,cf	3	0	0	1	0
Yip,2b	2	0	0	0	1
Y.Chung,ss	3	0	0	1	2
J.Chung,1b	3	1	0	10	0
Shern,rf	3	0	1	0	0
Kee,lf	3	0	1	2	0
Kae,3b	2	0	0	1	1
F Dee,p	2	0	0	0	0
J.Dee,c	2	0	0	2	0
Paul,p	1	0	0	0	2
Totals	21	2	2	15	4

SCORE BY INNINGS

	1	2	3	4	5	6
Whiting-Mead Cubs	2	0	8	0	4	—20
Base hits	3	0	7	0	3	—16
L. A. Chinese	0	0	0	0	0	2—2
Base hits	0	0	1	0	1	—2

SUMMARY

Innings pitched — By F. Dee, 4; Paul, 2. Charge defeat to F. Dee. Struck out—By Gould, 8; F. Dee, 2; Paul, 2. Bases on balls—Off Gould, 2; F. Dee, 4; Paul, 2. Hit by pitched balls—Gould, 2; F. Dee, 1; Paul, 1. Two-base hits—A. Howard. Two-base hits—L. Gould, A. Howard. Sacrifice hits—Lawson, F. Chung. Time of game—1h. 40m. Umpires—Holder and Roman.

HERCULES GASOLINE NINE NEARER FLAG

The Hercules Gasoline Company nine practically cinched the City League pennant by thumping the Vernon Park Art Shoppe squad, 12 to 3, yesterday at Ross-Snyder Field. Kirby pitched a good game for the Hercules crew, allowing but eight hits, four of which were garnered by Second Baseman Calvin. Dillio got four hits for the winners, while Morgan, H. Epling, Hull and Lilly also hit the ball hard for Hercules. The winner cinched the contest in the opening frame with a six-run rally. Score:

VERNON PARK	AB	R	H	O	A
Ross,ss	4	0	1	1	0
C.Sco'ld,1b	4	1	0	12	0
Calvin,2b	4	1	4	2	2
Angel,c	4	0	1	6	0
Vick,cf	4	1	1	2	0
Riegle,3b	3	0	0	1	3
Martin,lf	3	0	0	2	0
R.Stogs'll,p	3	0	1	0	2
Sherwood,rf	3	0	0	1	0
Totals	35	3	8	27	12

HERCULES GAS	AB	R	H	O	A
Dillis,ss	5	2	4	1	3
F.Epling,2b	5	2	4	1	2
Morgan,cf	6	0	2	2	0
Wiley,r	4	1	1	2	0
H.Epl'g,1b	4	1	2	8	0
Hull,rf	5	1	3	1	0
Hermann,3b	5	2	2	0	0
Lilly,rf	3	2	2	1	0
Kirby,p	4	0	0	0	3
Seymour,rf	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	40	13	17	27	13

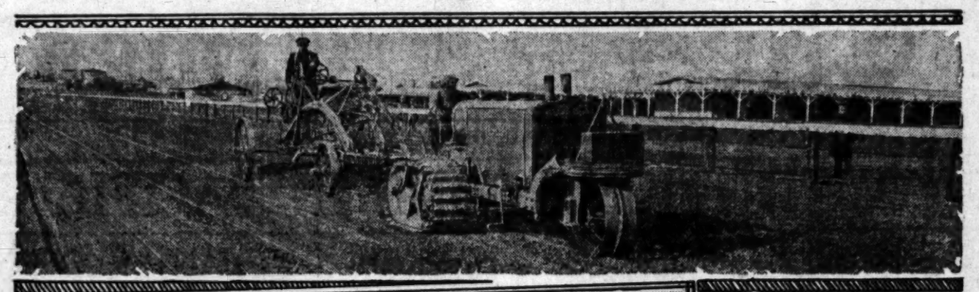
SCORE BY INNINGS

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Hercules Gas	6	2	1	1	0	2	0	0	0	—12
Base hits	4	2	1	1	0	3	0	0	0	—11
Vernon Park Art Shoppe	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	—3
Base hits	3	0	0	1	0	1	2	0	0	—8

SUMMARY

Struck out—By Kirby, 8; Stogsdill, 6. Bases on balls—Off Stogsdill, 3; Kirby, 2. Stolen base—Dillis. Three-base hits—Lilly, Kirby, Calvin. Two-base hits—Wiley, C. Stogsdill. Sacrifice hit—F. Epling. Time of game—1h. 50m.

Paving the Way for the Bangtails



Scenes of Activity at the Culver City Race Track

Although the announced opening of the horse-racing oval at Culver City Christmas Day was put down as more or less of a pipe dream by most of the fans, the above pictures indicate that things are humming now. Above a section of the track is seen, with a tractor dashing about, while the grandstand in its present state is shown below.

SOAPMEN CAPTURE ANOTHER

Union Pacific All-Stars Are Whitewashed by 6-to-0 Score

Elmer Meyers had too much on the ball for the Union Pacific All-Stars and the White Kings made it two straight, blanking Joe Pirrone's outfit, 6 to 0, in yesterday's game at Union Pacific Park. The Soapsters found Jess Doyle, Union Pacific hurler, easy and bunched hits off him in four innings for an easy win.

Meyers, who pitches for Salt Lake during the Coast League season, won his own game when he knocked a home run with a man on in the third inning for the White King's first two tallies.

Hesse, Thompson and Thomas led the Soapsters' hitting attack, while Gorman and Pete Lajan were the heavy hitters for the Union Pacific All-Stars. Three fast double plays by the Union Pacific infield held down the White Kings' score.

Dan O'Leary, 53-year-old champion walker of the world, gave an exhibition before the game that pleased the big crowd of fans on hand. The score:

WHITE KINGS	AB	R	H	O	A
M'Alpine,3b	3	0	1	2	0
Hesse,cf	3	0	2	1	0
Kingdon,ss	4	0	1	1	4
Sweet,lf	4	0	1	2	0
Thomas,c	3	1	2	4	0
Falk,2b	4	1	1	1	2
Gomez,rf	4	0	0	2	0
Meyers,p	3	0	1	1	0
Totals	33	6	11	27	11

UNION PACIFIC ALL-STARS	AB	R	H	O	A
D'Arbelo,lf	3	0	0	3	1
H'man,1b	4	0	1	10	0
Ch'b'as,c	3	0	0	1	0
Schr'der,rf	3	0	0	1	0
Pirrone,rf	1	0	0	1	0
Rader,ss	4	0	0	2	1
Gor'ber,3b	3	0	0	1	2
Gorman,2b	4	0	1	2	6
Lajan,c	3	0	0	7	0
Doyle,p	2	0	0	0	0
Totals	30	0	2	28	10

SCORE BY INNINGS

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
White Kings	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	3	1	—6
Base hits	1	0	0	2	3	0	1	2	2	—11
Union Pacific	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0
Base hit	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	—2

SUMMARY

Struck out—By Meyers 3; Doyle 3. Bases on balls—Off Meyers 3; Doyle 2. Home run—Meyers. Three-base hit—Hesse. Two-base hits—Thomas, Gay. Double plays—Gay to Gorman to Herman; Rader to Gorman; Gorman to Rader to Herman. Time of game—1hr. 45min. Umpires—Reardon and Donaldson.

SANTA MONICA TIPS UP PALOMAR TEAM

Santa Monica defeated Palomar, 6 to 4, yesterday on the Santa Monica diamond. Swett of Palomar and Lefler of Santa Monica engaged in a mound duel, each allowing six hits, but the Santa Monicans made their six hits count for two more tallies.

A three-run rally by the Santa Monica players in the eighth inning settled the contest, although the Palomar team protested a number of decisions made by the umpires. Wolf, with two doubles, and Barnes, with a double and a single, were the hitting stars. Score:

PALOMAR	AB	R	H	O	A
Camp'l,2b	5	1	0	4	1
Rundell,cf	5	0	0	1	0
Beattie,lf	4	1	1	1	0
Wolf,1b	4	1	2	11	0
Calkin,rf	3	0	1	1	0
Krinkie,3b	4	1	1	0	1
Klein,c	4	0	1	4	1
Craig,ss	4	0	0	2	3
Swett,p	4	0	1	2	4
Totals	35	4	6	24	9

SANTA MONICA	AB	R	H	O	A
Kerr,c	3	1	1	6	0
Quandt,lf	4	1	1	2	0
Stone,ss	4	0	0	2	0
Barnes,3b	4	2	2	0	4
Grantt,rf	4	0	0	2	0
Finn,1b	3	1	0	11	0
Smith,2b	3	0	1	2	3
Hubbard,rf	0	0	0	0	0
Lefler,p	4	0	0	1	5
Totals	32	6	6	27	12

SCORE BY INNINGS

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Palomar	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	0	—4
Base hits	1	1	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	—6
Santa Monica	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	3	—6
Base hits	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	2	—6

SUMMARY

Errors—Krinkie, 2. Struck out—By Swett, 4; Lefler, 5. Hit by pitched balls—Finn, Smith, Craig. Two-base hits—Wolf, 2; Klein, Barnes, Smith. Double plays—Krinkie to Campbell to Wolf; Smith to Finn. Time of game—1h. 45m. Umpires—Sparkling and Lucas.

ENGINEERS BEATEN

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

Playing circles around their opponents the Pasadena American Legion basketball team defeated the Caltech varsity Saturday night by the overwhelming score of 13 to 58 on the Pasadena Y.M.C.A. courts.

Hevle Pitches Victory Over Montebello

Roy Hevle let the Montebello Oilers down with one run and hurled Downey to an 8-to-1 victory in yesterday game on the Downey diamond. With Hevle going great guns, Oscar Williams's squad took the lead in the early innings and stayed in front.

Hevle fanned eleven men and allowed eight scattered hits. Only in the fourth inning did the Oilers bunch enough hits to send over a run. Weatherington, on the mound for Montebello, fanned nine men, but the Downey batters bunched blows off him in four innings, in which all of Downey's nine runs were scored.

Parsons, Downey left fielder, was the hitting star of the game, knocking out a home run and two singles in four times at bat. Hill and Ewing also hit well for the winners, while Andrade and Williams accounted for five of Montebello's eight safeties. Shortstop Rendon of the Oilers pulled off a number of fancy plays in the field. The score:

MONTEBELLO OILERS	AB	R	H	O	A
Rendon,ss	5	0	1	4	1
Fowler,lf	4	0	0	1	1
K'hurst,rf	5	0	0	1	0
K'shaar,1b	3	1	1	4	0
Andrade,3b	4	0	2	1	2
W'ms,cf	4	0	2	0	0
Dorovan,2b	3	0	0	2	1
Holbrook,c	4	0	0	6	1
W'ton,p	4	0	0	0	1
Totals	36	1	6	24	9

DOWNEY	AB	R	H	O	A
Smith,2b	4	0	1	2	2
Morrow,1b	4	0	0	6	1
Hill,ss	5	1	2	1	2
P'rsons,lf	4	2	2	2	0
Ewing,cf	3	2	2	5	1
Edwards,3b	4	1	1	1	1
Lotz,c	4	1	1	10	1
Myers,rf	4	1	1	1	0
Hevle,p	4	1	1	0	2
Totals	35	9	11	27	9

SCORE BY INNINGS

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Downey	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	8	—9
Base hits	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	8	—11
Montebello Oilers	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	—1
Base hits	1	0	0	3	0	0	1	0	1	—6

SUMMARY

Errors—Ewing, Hill, Kraushaar, Andrade. Innings pitched—By Hevle 9; Weatherington 9. Credit victory to Hevle. Charge defeat to Weatherington. Struck out—By Hevle 11; Weatherington 9. Bases on balls—Off Hevle 3; Weatherington 1. Hit by pitched balls—Ewing. Stolen bases—Parsons, 2; Hill, Ewing. Home run—Parsons. Three-base hit—Myers. Two-base hits—Hill. Sacrifice hit—Hevle. Double play—Smith to Hill to Morrow. Time of game—1hr. 40min. Umpires—Sheets and Wilson.

Brotherhood Crew Bows to Bailey Squad

Manager Jess Blancarte's Bailey-Schmitz nine handed the Fraternal Brotherhood outfit a 12-to-5 licking in a game staged yesterday at Salt Lake playgrounds. Moreno's pitching for the victors after the first two innings featured, the Bailey-Schmitz hurler striking out eighteen men and allowing but two runs.

Aside from pitching stellar ball Moreno also did his share of the heavy hitting, lining out a double and a triple and walking twice in four times at bat. Bellran, Kerfost, Santo, Part, Wad and Somora also hit well for the Bailey-Schmitz clan, while Johnson got two singles for the Fraternal Brotherhood nine.

After the Fraternal Brotherhood team had taken the lead in the second inning, the Bailey Schmitz sluggers tied up the score in the third inning and cinched the struggle with a four-run rally in the fourth frame. The score:

FRATERNAL BROTHERHOOD	AB	R	H	O	A
Allen,ss	3	2	1	0	4
Lang,2b	3	0	1	2	3
H'shtles,3b	3	0	1	1	0
Amesculer,c	4	0	0	4	0
Holding,c	3	1	1	9	0
Lee'son,1b	4	0	0	10	1
Johnson,cf	3	1	2	2	0
Pytnch'k,rf	3	0	0	2	0
Ryan,lf	3	0	0	2	0
Totals	29	5	6	27	7

BAILEY SCHMITZ	AB	R	H	O	A
Bellran,ss	4	1	2	1	3
Kerfost,3b	4	2	2	0	2
Santo,2b	4	0	0	2	2
Part,rf	3	2	2	1	0
Wad,c	2	1	2	10	0
Martin,rf	0	0	0	0	0
Figuros,p	3	0	0	0	1
Hendrix,1b	2	1	2	1	1
Son,ss	2	1	1	2	0
Moreno,p	3	1	2	0	0
Totals	31	12	16	27	9

SCORE BY INNINGS

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Bailey Schmitz	1	3	0	3	4	0	1	0	—12	
Base hits	2	0	4	4	0	2	1	3	—16	
Fraternal Brotherhood	0	1	2	0	2	0	0	0	—5	
Base hits	1	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	—5	

SUMMARY

Innings pitched—By Figuros 2; Moreno 7. Credit victory to Moreno. Struck out—By Moreno 18; Boling 8. Bases on balls—Off Boling 4. Hit by pitched balls—Wad, Hendrix, 2; Johnson. Three-base hits—Moreno, Bellran. Two-base hits—Lang, Moreno, Wad. Time of game—2hrs. Umpire—Slim Karat.

SHERMAN MERCHANTS TROUNCED

Western - Avenue Squad Wins 4-to-1 Game With McGraw on Mound

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SAN DIEGO, Dec. 16.—The S
Diego winter baseball team
feated the strong Fleet Air ti
today in the stadium 7 to
Branch, of the Airmen, in addi
to pitching first class baseball w
he was on the mount, hit two h
eru. Brucker and Ruby of
San Diego club also hit for
circuit. Score by innings:

San Diego .....3 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 3—7 9
Fleet Air .....0 0 0 2 0 0 0 1 0—3 6
Batteries—Prsul, Courtney and Brucker; Ma
Marshall and Billings.

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the fifth round of their sched
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BY HANS WAGNER

Chapter IV

AL WAGNER VS. AL WAGNER

during the night while
ting an answer to my tele-
demanding $90, a month
my first league job I
the words over and over
My courage in demanding
made sort of scared me.
I can't come for less than forty
dollars," I would repeat and
how if I had done the right

answer came in the morn-
was simple and direct.
"If you can't accept thirty-five,"
said, "you had better stay at

over right up stairs, packed
his things and caught the
train. I'd take no more
of losing that thirty-five
Gee, how mad I was at
fellows who had advised me
to hold out! I wanted to get to
Steubenville before the manager
could change his mind.

Arriving at Steubenville I
went to George Moreland and
soon signed the contract.
I met the other day hanging
in the library of the Elks' Club.
It was in half but here it is:

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ball club during the season of
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on the 1st and fifteenth of each
month or as soon as possible,
after signing to play for
said baseball team I agree to
obey all the rules and regu-

I also agree that should
I prove not be agreeable to
the management re-
serves the right to release me.

I agree to pay for my
uniform and shoes, the cost
of which is to be taken out of my

I agree to report on the
date named by the manager in
condition to play ball.

The manager of the
baseball team to pay all my
bills while away from home.

I also agree to always
conduct myself in good condition and
shall fail to abide by all rules,
agreements between myself and
Steubenville Club shall be de-

William Wagner.
Patrick (Patsy) Fla-

will notice this contract
was signed by the ball club,
I said better about little
bills that in those days. In
I don't know why a contract
necessary. They could fire me
when they wanted to anyway.
But that always gives me a
claim that pay "on the first and
fifteenth of each month or as soon
as"

But those boys knew what they were doing. It never did become possible. The league broke up in two months.

Another funny clause is that one about taking out the money for my uniform and shoes the first month. You may not know it, but that clause still sticks in baseball contracts. It is obsolete, though. The big league teams never make a ball player pay for his uniform as a rule. They have a right to, just the same.

TWO BREAK-UPS

My brother Al was also on that team. He played the infield. I was a pitcher. On that same team were two great ball players who afterward played with me in the big league. They were Claude Ritchie, the second baseman of the Pirates later, and Harry Smith, the old catcher.

When the break-up came the Steubenville team moved to Akron, O., where we played on the Buchel College grounds. There we lasted just three days when the club broke up again. It seemed like I never would get that $35 coming regularly.

But there were big doings in the three days we lasted. The Wagner brothers got two home runs each day. Still, Al was the most famous.

"Honus," Al said to me as the team broke up, "I've got a job offered me at Mansfield, O. I've just agreed to take one at Canton."

"Which one you want me to take?" I asked, knowing what he meant.

"As I am going to Canton you'd better take that job down at Mansfield and play as Al. We got to hold both those jobs."

The thought of doing anything wrong never entered our heads. They did all kinds of things like that then.

So I went to Mansfield and stayed a month. I played good baseball, too. All around town they were talking about that fellow, Al Wagner, having a chance to be a great ballplayer. Everything would have been all right, at that, I reckon, if we hadn't forgot to figure on what we would do when Canton came down to play Mansfield.

THEN THEY BOTH SHOWED UP

There was a lot of trouble and mix-ups about Al Wagner when Canton and Mansfield hooked up. Each team had what was supposed to be the same Al Wagner. When it developed that Mansfield and Canton both had one, each crowd claimed their Wagner as the real one. We had to do all kinds of explaining. It so happened that we both played well and we were allowed to get away with the deception. I forgot to say I played third base for the Mansfield club and was throwing so hard I almost knocked down the first baseman.

All this time I was studying baseball hard. The players used to wonder how a kid like me could remember the faults of all the different players. I also remembered my own faults. Often I would go out in the morning and practice to overcome these faults and also to try and imitate some good player I had seen.

The manager and owner noticed that I was studying the game seriously. Remember, I wasn't quite 21 yet.

At the end of the month—the time when I really got my pay—the owner sent me up to Adrian, Mich., to manage a team. He had asked who would like to manage a ball club and, of course, I figured it out that such a job would just suit me. The owner was Mr. Taylor, a hardware man. I understand he has been very successful since.

This Adrian team was in the Michigan State League.

As a young manager I lasted three weeks. I had all kinds of trouble. In the first place I found the pitchers were not so good, or rather that they did not have their heart in their work.

We had a negro pitcher who had a lot of stuff. The other pitchers wanted him fired, but he was the only one who could win for me. The others all claimed to have sore arms and all such alibis as that. They were trying a run a sort of boycott.

A CURE FOR SORE ARMS

I wanted to win those ball games and as the colored boy was the only one to do the pitching I sent him in. He won, too. In a few days the others gradually lost their sore arms and came back one at a time.

I reckon I was a little too young to be a manager. I worried a right smart about my responsibilities. At the end of three weeks I got mighty homesick. I just couldn't stand to be away off there by myself. I moped around and after awhile was really sick, you don't know how terrible the feeling is.

Finally I decided I couldn't stand it any longer and went to join my brother Al. He was glad to see me, of course. Gee, you don't know how I perked up.

Right away Al got busy and figured out a job. He sent me to the Warren, Pa., team of the Iron and Oil League. Again I signed a contract for $35 a month and my board while away from home.

I was getting to be a pretty good ball player by this time. It was really the beginning of my career. That Warren club turned out the greatest number of players for the big league of any team in all baseball history.

On that team with me were these who afterward played in the major league:

Joe Rickert, Boston; Harry Smith, Pittsburg; Al Wagner, Brooklyn; Claude Ritchie, Pittsburg; Carrick, New York. There were one or two others whose names I can't remember.

That will illustrate what I meant when I said there were more great players in proportion to the number engaged than there are today. Just think of that many ball players jumping direct from a little bush team right into the big league—yes, and making good, every one of them!

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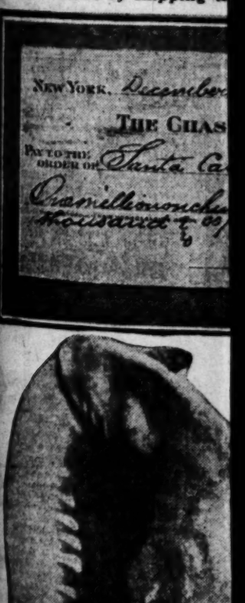

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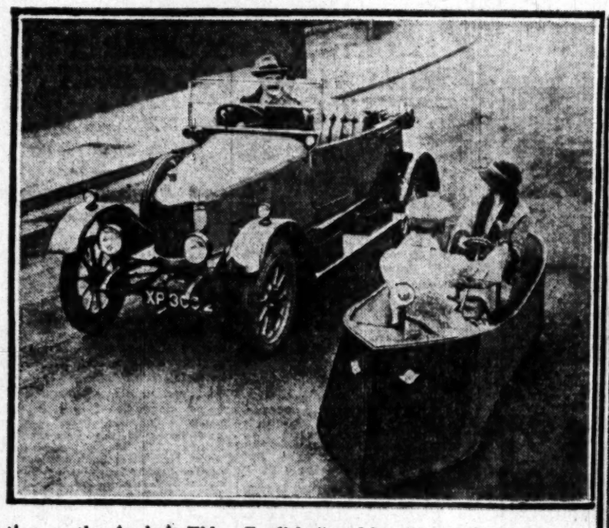
Widow Wants Grubstake Share—Miss Sadie E. Pritchard, Denver medista, is suing estate of Fred G. King, millionaire miner. She says she furnished funds to start his career and now wants her bit. (P. & A. photo.)



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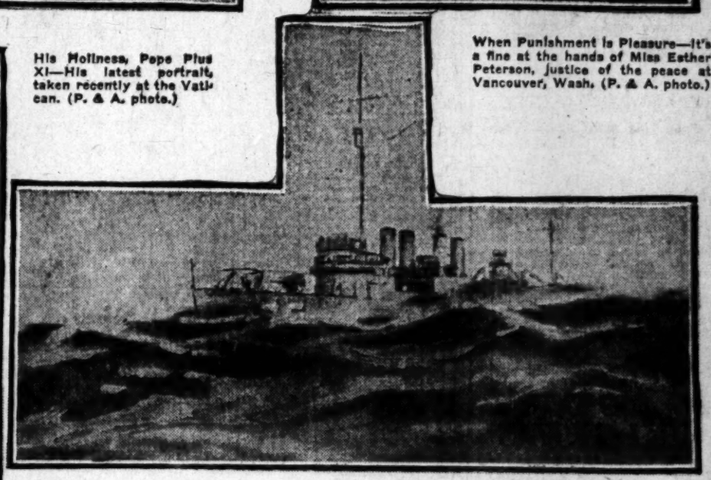
Vacuum Street Cleaners Made Here—Los Angeles does its bit to keep the world clean by shipping these unique machines, made by the Kimball Motors Corp.

Bring On The Wolves—Stanley Clarkson, of St. Paul, has nail-studded leather suit to use in personal combat with wolves. (P. & A. photo.)

His Holiness, Pope Pius XI—His latest portrait, taken recently at the Vatican. (P. & A. photo.)



When Punishment Is Pleasure—It's a fine at the hands of Miss Esther Peterson, justice of the peace at Vancouver, Wash. (P. & A. photo.)

Where the Bounding Billows Bounce—U.S.S. Thompson at sea during recent manoeuvers off Southern California coast. (Times photo.)

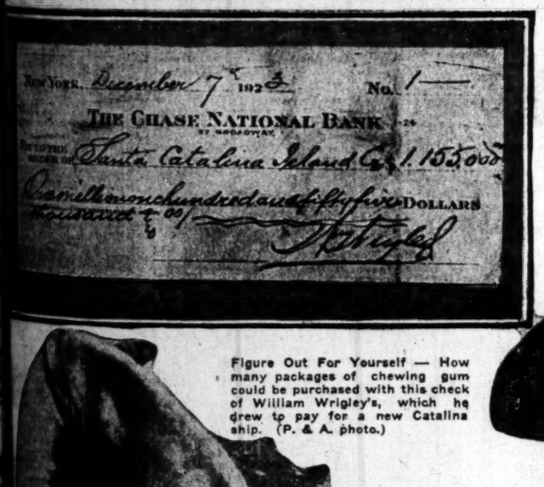


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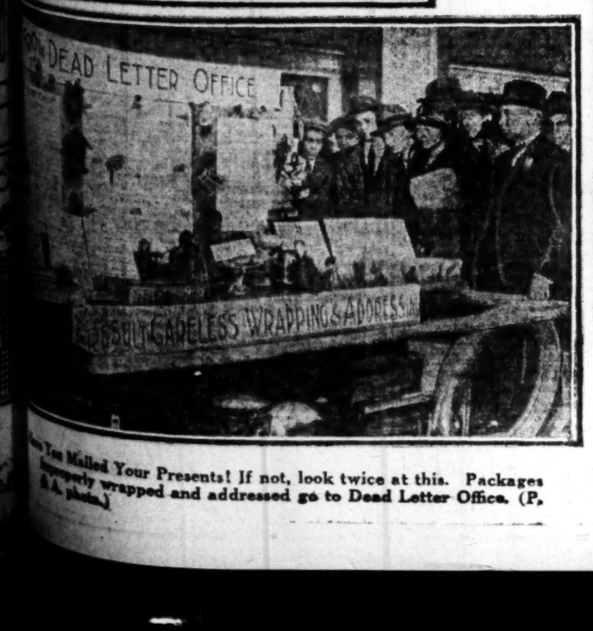
Figure Out For Yourself — How many packages of chewing gum could be purchased with this check of William Wrigley's, which he drew to pay for a new Catalina ship. (P. & A. photo.)

The Lure of Brass Buttons—Won Earl L. Canter, Northwestern University student, who has given up his college career to be a policeman. (P. & A. photo.)

Political Precedents Shattered—When Mrs. Leonard G. Wood (right) was appointed vice-chairman of the Republican National Committee. With her is John Adams, chairman. (P. & A. photo.)

Thy This on Your Radio — New seashell loud speaker. Home-made but it works. (P. & A. photo.)

She's Known as Michael Strange — To readers of poetry, but to the world she's Mrs. John Barrymore, the actor's wife. (P. & A. photo.)



Have You Mailed Your Presents! If not, look twice at this. Packages improperly wrapped and addressed go to Dead Letter Office. (P. & A. photo.)

Fair Maid Smashes Baggage—Miss May Bailey, of Tarrytown, N. Y., handles all baggage on New York-Montreal bus line. (P. & A. photo.)

Volcano, Lava and Everything—Made at Los Angeles High School by Prof. Ward M. Mill's industrial chemistry class. Small model of Vesuvius acts just like the Italian fire-mountain. (Don Gillum photo.)

NEWS OF SOUTHERN COUNTIES

CRASH VICTIM'S END ACCIDENTAL

Santa Ana Coroner Returns Inquest Finding

Ten Mishaps in Short Space; Inquiry Started

Two San Franciscans Cared for in Hospital

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE]

SANTA ANA, Dec. 16.—An inquest into the death of Mrs. James Tatteral, wife of a San Francisco merchant, which resulted from injuries received when an automobile she was riding in went off an embankment on the Irvine Boulevard Saturday night, resulted in a verdict of accidental death. Coroner Brown brought out the fact that the machine driven by the woman's husband was traveling at between forty and fifty miles an hour when the driver lost control and the car hurtled into the ditch.

As a result of this accident an investigation into a series of ten fatal mishaps that have occurred on this stretch of road within the last three weeks, will be set in motion by officials of the county.

Two persons injured in last night's crash, Mrs. D. T. Bettenbach and her daughter, Florence, both also of San Francisco, are being attended at a local hospital. Mr. Tatteral, who was said to have been the driver of the machine, was not seriously hurt.

Orange county officials are aroused over the unusual number of fatal mishaps on Irvine Boulevard. The accidents have all happened on a straight stretch of road, an unusual "death trap." Officials state the investigation is expected to result in a strenuous campaign against speeding and reckless driving.

Justice Cox of Santa Ana expressed the belief that the imposition of stiff jail sentences to speeders and reckless drivers would reduce accidents at this point.

CHURCHES TO HONOR PILGRIMS

Joint Banquet Arranged in Annual Celebration of Forefathers' Day

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE]

CLAREMONT, Dec. 16.—One year ago the United Brotherhood of the Congregational Churches of Pomona, Ontario and Claremont, celebrated the landing of the Pilgrims with a banquet at Claremont Inn. This proved to be such an enjoyable occasion that it was decided to conduct an annual celebration of Forefathers' Day. This year the Brotherhood of the Union Church of San Dimas also is joining in the observation.

The dinner and program is set for Thursday, the 20th inst. and 6 p.m. at the Claremont Inn.

In the absence of Dean William E. Nicholl, president of the Claremont Mens' Union, the presiding officer will be Stanley E. Parkill, the vice-president.

The opening invocation will be given by Rev. Charles E. Sumner, L.L.D, the original "Pilgrim" of Pomona College.

CITIZENS CALLED TO OBTAIN NEW FACTORY

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE]

SAN FERNANDO, Dec. 16.—The greatest mass meeting of citizens ever held in San Fernando is slated for tonight, when property owners are called to assemble to subscribe to stock in the projected steel tube mills. The proposed industry calls for the outlay of $100,000, of which the promoters have agreed to take one-half, provided citizens will take an equal amount. Already more than $20,000 is said by the committee to have been subscribed. The citizens are anxious to land this institution, as it promises to employ more than 500 men. The factory would manufacture steel tubing for use in the construction of automobile wind shields.

SEEKS LARGE COTTON ACREAGE IN VALLEY

HANFORD, Dec. 16.—An appeal for the planting of 250,000 acres of cotton in the San Joaquin Valley the coming year has been made by Keith W. Allen, representing the Manchester Raw Cotton Association. He has been in Corcoran and vicinity for several weeks, where such large production and profits from cotton were made this year. He guarantees a price of 20 cents per pound, with an increase in that figure if markets warrant. As high as 36 cents per pound was realized this year for part of the Corcoran crop of 900 acres. Mr. Allen states that his company will erect a large pressing plant if there is sufficient acreage planted.

SAN DIEGO COOLIDGE CLUB GAINS RAPIDLY

By a "Times" Staff Correspondent

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 16.—The San Diego Coolidge-for-President Club membership is close to 2000 and enrollments from county points where clubs are being formed, together with additional enrollments in the city, are expected to bring the total to more than 5000, leaders of the movement said today. Enthusiasm for President Coolidge is particularly strong in Coronado and La Jolla.

Brings Laurels to High School Girl Artist

Miss Whetstine's Work

PLANS MADE FOR ANNUAL "HI-JINKS"

San Fernando Valleyites in Readiness for Regular Entertainment

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE]

GIRARD, Dec. 16.—Plans are complete for the holding here Tuesday night of the annual "Hi-Jinks" of the Associated Chambers of Commerce of the San Fernando Valley, according to an announcement by V. De la Garza, secretary of the Girard Chamber of Commerce and chairman of the "Hi-Jinks" entertainment committee.

More than 200 guests are expected at the affair, including city officials and representatives of the fourteen chambers of commerce in the San Fernando Valley association. The illness of Mayor Cryer will prevent his attendance.

The "Hi-Jinks" will be held in the Girard Chamber of Commerce Building at the corner of Ventura Boulevard and Topanga Canyon avenue. The association is composed of chambers of commerce in Burbank, Chatsworth, Girard, Glendale, Lankershim, Mission Acres, Montrose, Owensmouth, Pacoima, San Fernando, Tujunga, Van Nuys, Zelzah and Reseda.

LONG BEACH AWAITS DOLLAR-LINE DECISION

By a "Times" Staff Correspondent

LONG BEACH, Dec. 16.—Speculation was rife here today concerning the probable plans of the Robert Dollar Steamship Company in connection with the establishment of a ship terminal in the Long Beach Harbor. Negotiations looking to that end have been underway at San Francisco during the past ten days, with City Manager Windham and prominent Long Beach business men present to explain the merits of the plan to the steamship company officials.

VAN NUYS CHAMBER PLANS BUSY YEAR

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE]

VAN NUYS, Dec. 16.—C. T. Wardlaw, who was yesterday elected president of the Chamber of Commerce, is already busy with plans for making 1924 the most aggressive year in the development of community resources that Van Nuys has ever known. Early in the new year a big banquet will be held. To this all members of the organization will be invited. Speakers of State-wide fame will be in attendance, George W. Buntson was re-elected secretary-manager.

ROSE FETE DELEGATES

By a "Times" Staff Correspondent

PASADENA, Dec. 16.—One hundred of Santa Monica's leading citizens will arrive in Pasadena New Year's Eve and will be guests of the Maryland, it was announced today. They are coming to participate in the city's Tournament of Roses parade. With this delegation will come the Santa Monica civic band, known as the Royal Italian Marine Band of forty pieces and will give a concert at the hotel on the night before the great pageant.

SCHOOL GIRL POSTER WINS

Aileen A. Whetstine, Pasadena High, Awarded Prize in Contest With Jubilee Year Subject

By a "Times" Staff Correspondent

PASADENA, Dec. 16.—Selected as the most appropriate and most suggestive poster to be used in advertising Pasadena's Jubilee Year and fiftieth anniversary, the Chamber of Commerce has awarded Miss Aileen A. Whetstine, a student of the Pasadena High School, first prize for her poster typifying the city's great celebration.

For several weeks a poster contest has been conducted by the Chamber of Commerce to secure a representative and suitable piece of art which they could use on letterheads, stamps, posters, banners and various other forms of decorations for the jubilee year.

Miss Whetstine's poster shows effectively the famous Colorado-street bridge and its graceful arches in the foreground, while in the distance the hills stand out in bold relief against the golden sky. The first prize was $25.

Charles Mormimoto, a Japanese youth of considerable ability, was awarded second prize. He also used the bridge as the principal feature of his poster. Other prize winners were Frances Creedon, Melba Darby and Henry Formhals. Out of the eighty posters the following were given honorable mention by the judges: Margaret Cranston, Betty Davis, Harriet Damon, Alene Elton, Elsie Garnett, Vivian Glass, Mildred Godfrey, Jane Graham, Marjory Hollenbeck, Jane Liguette, Elizabeth Kellogg, Dorothy Kesler, Betty Moore, John Marquette, Roger Maxon, Beatrice Palmer, Carol Patterson, Mary Stapleton, Evol Truckenmiller, Virginia Walker, Maud Wait and Mary Ward.

The posters are now on display at the Chamber of Commerce quarters at the Hotel Green.

SOUTHLAND I.O.O.F. MEET IN LONG BEACH

By a "Times" Staff Correspondent

LONG BEACH, Dec. 16.—More than 2000 members of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows gathered here last night from cities and towns throughout Southern California for the third annual ceremonial of the order in the Southland district. The first, second and third degrees were conferred upon more than 100 candidates. Grand Master E. R. Longley of Los Angeles, grand officers and a number of past grand masters were among those at the ceremonial, which was staged in the Municipal Auditorium.

Oasis Lodge, No. 447, of Long Beach, was host to the visiting Odd Fellows and Harold Kline, Noble Grand of the local lodge, presided. The guests of honor were introduced by Joseph G. Tritch, of Long Beach, District Deputy Grand Master.

VERDUGO BOY SCOUT COMMITTEES NAMED

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE]

BURBANK, Dec. 16.—At the annual meeting of the Verdugo district of the Boy Scouts of America committees were named to have charge of the work during the year. Those appointed to act as chairmen were: C. H. Kline, finance; W. A. Blanchard, court of honor; M. S. Jones, camping; L. F. Collins, leadership and training; R. W. Colburn, civic service, and B. E. Loper, publicity. The district includes the troops located in Burbank, Glendale, Eagle Rock, Tujunga and La Crescenta.

RETRIAL OF BRITT NOW UNOPPOSED

District Attorney States Contest of Defense Motion Highly Unlikely

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

BAKERSFIELD, Dec. 16.—It is highly probable that Charles Britt, convicted of the murder of Robert Sears, will be retried without opposition from Dist.-Atty. H. E. Schmidt.

The District Attorney stated that by the time an appeal could be heard in the Supreme Court the possibility would be that many of his material witnesses would be absent from the State. This would seriously hamper the prosecution of his appeal, he declared.

POCKETS RIFLED AS GYM CLASS TRAINS

HANFORD, Dec. 16.—The twenty business men who formed a physical culture training class at the high school gym last Tuesday night have an additional incentive for developing their muscles. While they got off to a good start physically under the direction of "Crip" Toomey, high school coach, they met with financial disaster. Thieves went through their trousers and other street clothes left in the gym locker room and money, watches and other valuables were taken, while the merchants were disporting in light gym attire. The local police have been doing their best to uncover the despoiler, so far, however, without success.

HOUSE COLLAPSES IN MOVING; TWO INJURED

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

POMONA, Dec. 16.—A. M. Carlisle, 940 East Third street, and E. C. Ades, 715 East Eleventh street, were severely injured yesterday when a corner of a large house they were moving gave way and fell on them. Carlisle suffered severe injuries to his back, several vertebrae being dislocated, while Ades had a leg crushed besides being bruised badly about the body. Carlisle was taken to the Daily Hospital at San Dimas, while Ades was brought to his home in Pomona. The accident happened on Depot street. The structure was being moved several blocks to a new location when rotted timbers broke.

PHYSICIAN WINS AUTO TEST CASE

Superior Judge Reverses Police Court Ruling on Motor Laws

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

PASADENA, Dec. 16.—The ruling of Police Judge Dunham in Pasadena's first test case of the new State Motor Vehicle Act was reversed by Superior Judge Keetch yesterday, when he ruled Dr. C. W. Chandler, Hollywood physician, was not guilty of violating the law.

Chandler was arrested in Pasadena on five counts by officers in civilian clothes. He was represented in police court by counsel from the Automobile Club of Southern California, but Judge Dunham held that Chandler had violated the Pasadena laws, irrespective of the new State Motor Vehicle Act.

Chandler paid a fine of $15 and announced that he would appeal the decision as a test. The case was the center of interest for several days, owing to a declaration by City Manager Koiner that the Pasadena police force would continue to apprehend motor-law violators in its own manner, by speed traps and officers in civilian clothes. These means do not conform to the new State law.

Later, after receiving letters of protest, Koiner said he had been misunderstood and simply wished to make a fair test of the new State law.

Fresno Legion Post Selects New Officers

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

FRESNO, Dec. 16.—Defeating two rival candidates, Delbert Brunton and Harry Wishard, by polling 72 of the 140 votes cast, E. Curtis Neal has been elected Commander of Fresno Post No. 4 of the American Legion for the coming year.

The other officers elected are Harold Rodman, First Vice-Commander; Neil Ellis, Second Vice-Commander; J. E. Rodman, Executive Committeeman; Howard Malcolm, Adjutant; Herbert Forchemer, Treasurer; Rev. F. G. H. Stevens, Chaplain; John D. K. Perry, Historian; W. O. Fanning, Sergeant-at-Arms; Roy Harrington, Will Kelly, Guy Poulson and Dr. N. Thorne, delegates to Fresno County Council.

The new Commander is a charter member of the post and has served on the executive committee, while his wife served this year as president of the women's auxiliary. The new officers will be installed on Thursday evening, January 3.

BEACH CITY FRONTAGE SQUABBLE NEARS END

By a "Times" Staff Correspondent

LONG BEACH, Dec. 16.—The long-drawn-out controversy between the City Council and beach property owners, which began over a year ago when the city took preliminary steps to acquire additional beach frontage for public use, appeared close to an end here last night as a result of action taken by the Central Beach Owners' Association. The owners voted to accept the city's compromise line of 260 feet south of Ocean Boulevard and authorized the appointment of a committee to work out with a committee of the City Council the details of improvements which the city proposes to make. The acceptance of the city's offer means that property owners along the beach front south of Ocean avenue will deed to the city all of that part of their respective properties 260 feet south of the avenue, between Alamitos avenue and Twentieth Place.

AUTOIST ACCUSED AS INTOXICATED DRIVER

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

RIVERSIDE, Dec. 16.—That the quality of mercy is not strained, was demonstrated to the satisfaction of P. B. Bean, Crestmore resident, who has been bound over to the Superior Court for trial on a charge of driving while intoxicated. Bean, according to Sheriff's officers, became highly exuberant as the result of imbibing from the flowing cup here and early Thursday morning was placed under arrest near Winveille. On his arraignment in Justice H. C. Hibbard's court Bean plead guilty, but urged that some action be taken to aprehend a woman who, he said, stopped to offer aid after his car had left the highway during his wild ride. Finding that he was too drunk to move, he said she picked up his jug of wine, placed it in her own car and drove away. Bean got her number.

FRESNO CHAMBER TO ADVERTISE COMMUNITY

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

FRESNO, Dec. 16.—In a new scheme of community advertising intended to reach the casual visitor, the advertising committee of the Fresno County Chamber of Commerce is planning to prepare pamphlets containing information on the possibilities and advantages of the city, to be distributed in hotels, barber shops, bootblack stands, cigar stores and among others who come into direct contact with transients.

Casual visitors, it was found by the committee, are not reached by the usual organized means employed with more permanent guests. The scheme will be part of a general plan to make Fresno a "Friendly City" by means of organization of squads of Chamber of Commerce members detailed to meet newcomers, offer them service and give them information.

M'GROARTY SAYS TO FORGET FIRE

Good Will Shown by Friends More Than Money

Poet Happiest Californian This Christmas

Fund for Mission Play Home Desired Most

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

RIVERSIDE, Dec. 16. — John Steven McGroarty, looking rejuvenated from a period of rest and seclusion at the Mission Inn, made his first public appearance here today since the tragic fire of a week ago, which destroyed his new home in the Verdugo Hills country. He was expected to address the State real estate men's conference here yesterday, but did not return in time from a side trip to the desert.

The poet philosopher was greeted by a number of realty men and a large number of friends, who wanted to condone with him upon his great loss, all of which he brushed aside in a characteristic manner:

"Forget this house-burning stuff, folks. My wife didn't burn, did she? I am getting letters from everywhere that would break your heart to read. They all send money or insist in some other way on the right to help rebuild the home. But it is all a mistake to do that. I want the joy of the struggle to restore that home, just as it was or better. The insurance money has been paid. The foundations are still there and the lower rock walls intact. Mrs. McGroarty and I haven't a chick nor child to worry about. When I get the house refinished again it will be the best-known home in the Southland and we will have another house warming, if God permits, even though my friends shall insist on sending the fire department to guard us.

"Those friends and coworkers who desire to help me can relieve me most by turning their attention to the unfinished new Mission Playhouse at San Gabriel. This is the load that has been overwhelming me. We bought some splendid property in the heart of the business section of San Gabriel and began making a permanent home for the perpetuation of the Mission Play. Since the project was first started costs have doubled all around and while the Mission Play always shows an operating profit, it cannot build and carry the interest and overhead of such a structure. I have found it needed to add this structure to the notable institutions of this region from my own resources and the aid of one or two very loyal friends of the play.

"But, this playhouse is for posterity. It was designed by one of our greatest architects and I am now organizing a Mission Play Foundation with my controlling interest in the play and am asking the few minority stockholders to join the plan. Our attorneys are drafting a deed of trust to bequeath the play and the building to posterity whereby all revenues will be used for the preservation of our historic mission ruins. For that reason I would like that all moneys sent to aid in rebuilding shall be turned into the Mission Play Foundation; and I am willing and anxious for you to tell this to your friends and for the newspapers to spread it throughout the State and you can send as many checks as you like for that purpose to the foundation in care of the Tujunga Valley Bank, Tejunga. The more that is sent for this the happier I will be. The quicker it is done the better, as we are reopening the play again on New Year's Day.

"The splendid new playhouse standing half finished in San Gabriel is on extremely valuable ground. The accrued debts could very quickly be taken care of if we abandoned the project and sold the property, but that is unthinkable. To finish the building, furnish it and retire outstanding debts will be safely covered by a foundation of only $250,000. I have made many sacrifices to preserve the inspiring history of California. This history will make the State immortal in the annals of the human race. It is a history that will be told in song, in picture and story long after our climate and the products of our soil are forgotten. I do not want that this foundation shall come from any one rich man or a few rich men; but it must come. I would like to see it flow in spontaneously in small amounts from all directions and I wish this were the only time I should have to mention it.

"Let everyone forget condolence about house burning when they write or meet me. I have so many letters about it from people I never saw that I actually believe I am the happiest man in California this Christmas season."

DR. J. M. STILLMAN DIES OF PARALYSIS

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

REDLANDS, Dec. 16.—Dr. J. M. Stillman, noted chemist, a half brother of Mrs. F. P. Morrison of this city, died at his home on the campus of Stanford University, Friday. He died from a stroke of paralysis, which came upon him following a Christmas shopping trip to San Francisco. Dr. Stillman was well known in Redlands, for he has visited here a number of times, usually spending the holidays in Redlands.

SPANISH VETERANS TO INDUCT NEW LEADERS

VISALIA, Dec. 16.—Installation of newly elected officers of the United Spanish War Veterans will take place in Visalia today. Those elected to office for the ensuing year are: Col. George W. Stewart of Visalia, commander; Frank Angles of Porterville, senior vice-commander; H. C. Griffiths of Exeter, junior vice-commander; George Du Bolt of Tulare, officer of the day; Taylor Arch of Visalia, officer of the guard; Edgar Linell of Farmersville, trustee.

SMALL BOY GETS JOB WITH CITY

Thomas Baker, Eight, Made Official Flag Raiser at Huntington Park

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE]

HUNTINGTON PARK, Dec. 16.—A new city position has been created at Huntington Park, and it is filled by Master Thomas Baker, 8-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. James Baker. He's the official flag raiser of Huntington Park.

A few days ago the city installed a ninety-foot flagpole in front of the City Hall, on which each morning the Stars and Stripes are raised and each evening at sundown they are lowered.

This duty was performed by Fire Chief Resley until one day this week. "Tommie" Baker, who lives in the neighborhood of the City Hall, noticed Mr. Resley hoisting the flag, and he remarked that he would like to have the job.

"All right," replied the chief, "we'll make you the official flag raiser of Huntington Park," and Master Thomas was then and there given the duty.

RICH MAN'S SON LOSES USE OF CAR

Another Pasadena Youth Denies Speeding; Demands Trial by Jury

By a "Times" Staff Correspondent.

PASADENA, Dec. 16.—Charged with driving his machine in a reckless manner and nearly running down Hiram W. Wadsworth, chairman of the City Board of Directors, and Mac D. Snowball, another member of the board, William Bettinger, Jr., scion of a millionaire lumber dealer of this city, was fined $35 and deprived of the use of his car yesterday when he appeared before Judge Frank C. Dunham.

Young Bettinger was arrested on a complaint sworn to by the two City Directors who asserted that they were nearly run over while crossing Colorado street. Mr. Bettinger, Sr., who appeared in court with his son, complimented the judge on meting out the severe fine, paid the $35 and declared he would personally see that his son was kept from driving during the time specified.

Another lad, R. S. Hartwell, 17 years of age of 95 Monte Vista avenue, was arrested by officers who charge that he was driving at a rate of forty-five miles per hour. In the car at the time were eight other lads all of whom denied the car was going so fast. Young Hartwell pleaded not guilty and demanded trial by jury. Due to his age Judge Dunham bound him over to the juvenile court.

Entertain at Silver Peak Guest ranch, Walnut, Cal. Pomona Sub. 5.—[Advertisement.

MERCHANTS TO CELEBRATE

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE]

VAN NUYS, Dec. 16.—All dealers and the community in general will devote Tuesday to a celebration of the Christmas holiday. The Merchants and Manufacturers' Association has provided an elaborate public entertainment for the evening. Presents will be given the children attending.

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ANAHEIM

Standard Oil Company Wagner Community No. 1 is drilling at 3440 feet in hard sand.

OIL INTEREST HIGH

Drilling Watched on "Wildcat" Well Near Delano

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

DELANO, Dec. 16.—Northern Kern county is highly interested in the "wildcat" well being drilled by the Union Oil Company of Delano on the Southwest side of the Delano, known as the Mitchell well.

The hole has reached a depth of 3200 feet where three-inch casing is being set. The plan is to reach 4000 feet. So far some good formations have been found and a considerable showing of gas has given the drillers encouragement.

The Sentinel Oil Company, it is said, will resume operations on its test well on the Harry Mitchell ranch near here, about the middle of the year. The well is now 3000 feet and has already been through twenty-five feet of the concern holds leases on 8000 acres of the Quinn property. The well near Popular is running 24 hours, having reached a depth of 3000 feet with the drill in blue shale.

MINE LEDGE WIDENS

Ledge Claim is Running $35 to the Ton

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

RANDSBURG, Dec. 16.—F. A. [illegible], superintendent of the Silver Pick Mining Company, reports that the ledge on the Silver Bar claim of the Treasure Hill Mining Company in the Randsburg district has widened to fifteen feet and the ore is running an average of $35 to the ton. The ledge, he says, runs full length of the White Horse claim, and the company are now preparing to the completing plans and sinks a shaft to the 400 foot level.

The Silver Bar strike was made a month after the discovery of the California Rand. A ledge was encountered, showing promising gold values.

MINE RESCUE WORK AROUSES INTEREST

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

GLOBE (Ariz.) Dec. 16.—The Globe district claims pre-eminence in its mine-rescue work and the interest in it being taken by the employees of the main camps. The last report of Orr Walker, safety director, shows that last month the attendance at classes of instruction was 1000 individuals, while 854 men qualified to do first-aid work in the mines. There were no mine accidents or fires.

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Late Wall Street News and Bond Reviews; Metal Mining and Petroleum

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RARE MINERALS, METALLURGY, CHEMISTRY

You are politely requested to submit samples carefully wrapped and tagged, with letter accompanying, stating what tests are desired. Make sample of small size. There is no necessity for big chunks. Correspondents offering matter for analysis with card, or scrap of paper, intended to show that the stuff is from Jim Jones, for instance, with no marks of identification on samples, will hereafter receive no attention. Analyses are made free of charge.

Mispickel

KINGMAN (Ariz.) Nov. 27.—Question: I am sending an ore sample of a vein in the Cerbat range of mountains. I cannot figure what it is; it surely is not silver? I would be pleased to know what you think about it. It comes from a fissure in between schist beds, and its strike is reverse of any other ore veins. E.

Answer: The name of the mineral, as set forth in the heading, might confuse anyone into holding the thought that the sample must be a young lady. It has many other names and a few examples are given such as arseno-pyrite, arsenical pyrite, and chemically, it is an arsenide with bisulphide of iron. The color of mispickel is tin-white. When struck with steel it gives off a few sparks, emitting an arsenical odor (that of garlic.) It dissolves in aqua regia and in strong nitric acid, with separation of sulphur and arsenious acid. On charcoal before the blowpipe it yields arsenical fumes—garlic like again. The streak of the mineral is blackish gray, and its luster is metallic.

Bulletin 624 of the United States Geological Survey shows that the mineral (when pure) contains 57.7 per cent of white arsenic, (arsenic of commerce,) and it is used extensively in glass, as an insecticide, as a weed and vermin remedy, and the mineral is commonly gold-bearing. Arsenic is usually supplied by the smelters, but owing to the demand of an easily separated arsenic, mispickel is preferred for many mixtures by manufacturers of pastes for ants and mice, including other "varmints."

The sample is of good grade, and yields approximately 22 per cent by weight of mispickel, with quartz present.

Ochre

BEATTY (Nev.) Nov. 28.—Q.: Under separate cover I am sending you a sample of mineralized rock which I believe to be ochre, and which I believe to contain some gold. It is principally the ochre in which I am interested and I would like to ascertain as to whether there is likely to be any considerable demand for that product in the manufacture of paint, and in case this proves to be a marketable grade ochre I would very much appreciate the names of any person or firms who might be interested in this product. I made the discovery of this deposit just a few days ago and it lies about eight miles from Beatty, Nev., on what is locally known as Bear Mountain and it is quite accessible as there is a good road all the way to the railroad. Any information you could give me regarding this would be greatly appreciated. Hoping for a favorable report. D.

A.: Most of the paint companies have their own deposits of hematite and limonite. Your pulverized sample is limonitic yellowish and hydrous iron peroxide. We always prefer massive samples when trying-out mineralogically. It gives one the advantage of observing changed colors by blowpipe methods and otherwise.

Your mineral should be a marketable product, especially so when treated with water and with a gentle roast. There is no free gold in the specimen and the demand for ochres is but slight, owing to the immense supplies offered for sale. We are not in touch with any purchasers.

Not Determined

GARDENA, Nov. 29.—Q.: I am sending you a piece of rock. Please classify it. I.

A.: The sample is too small for even qualitative work. It weighs less than one-fourth of a milligramme. It is crystallized, and probably is a product of an electrical furnace.

Hydrocarbon

HUNTINGTON BEACH, Nov. 30. Q.: I am inclosing a sample taken from an oil well that is supposed to be drilling in the Cretaceous formation. Will you please let me know through your columns if it is crude oil? If so, is it paraffin or asphalt base?

SUBSCRIBER.

A.: This is another specimen rather small, in quantity, for qualitative work, and also for the reason that the formation is not more fully set forth regarding approximate locality. The sample is probably not of paraffin base, and it would require a pound of the substance with quantitative analysis made to fully arrive at definite conclusions.

Altered Granite

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 30.—Q.: Can you tell me if the glittering yellow particles in the sand of which I have inclosed a sample, are yellowish mica or what are they? When covered with water the sand gleams wonderfully. The Rare Minerals, Metallurgy, and Chemistry column of the The Times is very interesting to me although I am not well informed on these subjects. Mrs. B.

A.: We thank you very much for your appreciated words. There is no free gold in the sample, and the glittering particles referred to by you are mica flakes only.

Feldspar

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 1.—Q.: Is the sample peacock-iron? W.

A.: It is Labradorite showing beautiful chatoyant reflections of many colors. It is used for ornamental work, and for gem material.

Another Mispickel

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 1.—Q.: Will you kindly test sample No. 1 for tin and nickel; No. 2 for tin, platinum and tungsten; No. 3 for tin; No. 4 for nickel, gold silver, arsenic and cobalt or whatever you think it might carry. It is said to carry platinum. No 5 for silver, gold and arsenic. Thanks for the favor. S.

A.: In addition to the uses set forth for mispickel (arsenopyrite) under matter set forth in the heading first shown above, it is well to note that it is now in good demand for use as a boll weevil killer; for orchard spray mixtures and other "pizens."

For gold and silver values you are politely referred to assayers.

WEEKLY STOCK RANGE

The Public Service Department of the Merchants' National Bank of Los Angeles issues the following table of the range of prices on the New York Stock Exchange for the week ending December 15, together with the net changes as compared with the close of the preceding week. (+Gain. —Loss.)

	High.	Low.	Bid.	Net Change.
Adams Ex.	76½	75	75½	— ½
Adv. Rumley com.	9	8½	9	— 1
Ajax Tire	7¼	6½	6¾	
Alaska Juneau	1¼			
Allied C. & Dye	70⅝	67¼	69⅝	+ 1⅝
Allis Chalm.	46⅝	44¼	44½	+ ¼
Do. pfd.			91½	+ ½
Am. Agr. Chem.	12⅝	10⅝	12⅝	+ ⅝
Am. Beet S.	43½	39	42	+ 2½
Do. pfd.	73½	73½	73	+ 1½
Am. Bosch Mag.	38½	36	38	
Am. Brake Shoe	76½	76	75	
Am. Can Co.	106¼	102⅝	104⅝	+ 1⅛
Do. pfd.	110⅝	109	107⅝	— 1½
Am. Car & Fdy. Co.	169	167	167½	+ ½
Do. pfd.			121	
Am. Cotton Oil	9⅝	9⅝	9½	
Am. Drug Syn.	5¼	5	5¼	+ ⅛
Am. Ex.	91	88¾	90	+ 1¼
Am. Hide & Lea.	6⅞	6½	6⅝	— ⅛
Do. pfd.	43	41⅝	41⅝	— 2
Am. Ice S. com.	91	88	89½	+ ½
Do. pfd.			80	— ¾
Am. Int. Corporation	24⅝	22½	24	— ⅛
Am. La France	11½	11	10⅝	— ⅝
Am. Linseed	17¾	15¾	15¾	— 1⅝
Do. pfd.	34	32	33	
Am. Loco.	73⅞	72½	72⅝	— ⅛
Am. Malt	118	117	114½	— 3
Amn. Metals com.	44⅝	43	43¾	+ ⅛
Am. Radiator	95	91	93½	— 1⅝
Am. Safety Razor	7	6¾	6¾	— ⅛
Am. Ship & Com.	12	10⅝	11⅛	+ ⅛
Am. Sm. & Rfg.	59	57¾	58¾	
Do. pfd.	96¾	96¼	96¼	— ¼
Am. Steel Fdy.	38½	37⅜	37½	— ⅜
Do. pfd.	102	101	101	— ½
Am. Sugar	59½	55½	57¾	+ 1½
Do. pfd.	96¾	93	95	— 1
Am. Sumatra	21⅞	20	19½	— 1½
Do. pfd.	46	46	42	— 4
Am. Tel. & Tel. Co.	128⅝	125⅞	127⅛	+ 1½
Am. Tob. Co.	151½	148	148	— 1
Do. "B"	149½	148	147	— 1
Am. Woolen	75⅜	72	72⅜	— 2⅝
Do. pfd.	101¼	99⅝	99⅝	— 1⅛
Am. Wri. Paper pfd.	2¼	1¾	1¾	— ⅜
Am. Zinc & L.	7¼	6⅞	6⅞	— ⅜
Do. pfd.	28	27	28	— 3
Anaconda	38⅝	37¼	37	— 1
Assd. Dry Goods	81	79	79½	— 1½
Assd. Oil	29½	26¼	28⅝	+ 2¾
Atchison	88¾	86¾	86¾	— 1
Do. pfd.	88	87½	87½	
Atl. Coast Line	117	112½	112½	— 3¾
Atl. Gulf & W. I.	15¾	14¾	14¾	— ⅝
Do. pfd.	43¼	41¾	41¾	— 1¼
Austin Nichols	26⅞	24⅝	24⅞	— ⅛
Baldwin Loco.	127⅞	123½	123½	— 3⅜
Do. pfd.	111½	110	110	— ½
Balt. & Ohio	59½	58¼	58¼	— ½
Do. pfd.	59	58	58	— ½
Bandini "A"	16¾	16	16	— ¼
Barnsdall "A"	18¾	18	18	— ¼
Basuk Bros.	58½	56¾	56¾	— 1¾
Beechnut Pkg.	74	48¾	48¾	— 25¾
Beth. Steel com.	53¾	52¾	52¾	— ¾
Do. pfd. 7s new	92¾	90½	90½	— 1⅝
Do. pfd. 8s			105	— 1
Booth Fish	4⅞	4⅝	4⅝	— ⅛
Brooklyn Edison	111	109½	109½	— 1
Brooklyn Un. Gas	116	116	116	— 1
Brown Shoe	53	51¾	52	— 1
Burns Bros. "A"	105½	104	104	— 1
Do. "B"	24	23½	23½	— ½
Butte & Sup. Cop.	16⅛	15	15	— ⅛
Butte C. & Zinc	5⅞	5⅜	5⅜	— ⅛
Butterick Pattern	19½	18½	18½	— 1⅛
Cadde Oil	2¾	2⅝	2⅝	— ⅛
Calif. Pack.	80½	79¼	79¼	— ¼
Calif. Pet. Co.	25⅞	22¾	23⅝	+ 2⅛
Do. pfd.	95	96	96	+ 2¼
Calnahan J. & L.	4½	4	4	— ½
Calumet & Ariz.				
Canadian Pacific	148	144	145	— ¾
Central Leather	111½	109½	109½	— 1½
Do. pfd.	82½	81½	82	+ 2
Cerro de Pasco	46½	45¼	46	+ 2¼
Chand. Motor	69	67	67½	— 1½
Ches. & Ohio	71½	69½	70⅝	— 1¼
Chi. Gt. W.	4¾	4½	4½	— ⅛
Do. pfd.	28¾	27¾	27¾	— 1
C. & E. I.	50¾	50¼	50¼	— ½
Do. pfd.	12⅞	10	12	+ 2
C. & N. W.	61½	59½	61	— 1
C. M. & St. P. com.	14½	13⅞	14⅛	— ⅛
Do. pfd.	24¾	23¾	23¾	— ¾
Chi. Pneu. Tool	83⅞	81¼	82¼	— 1⅝
C. R. I. & P. R.	24	22¾	22¾	— 1¼
Do. pfd. A 7s	81½	78¾	78¾	— 2¾
Do. pfd. B 6s	79	77	77	— 2
Chile Copper	28⅞	27	27⅝	+ ⅛
China Copper	17½	16¾	16¾	— ¾
C. C. C. & St. L.	110	109	109	— 1
Cluett P. com.	70¼	68½	68	— 1
Coca Cola	75¾	73	73	— 2¾
Colorado Fuel & Iron	25	23¾	23¾	— 1¼
Colo. Sou. Ry.	20	19	18¾	— ¼
Columbia Gas	34½	33½	33½	— ¾
Computing Tab. Co.	89½	86½	87	— 1
Cons. Cigars	17	16	16	— ½
Cons. Gas	59¾	57¾	57¾	— 1¾
Cons. Text Corps.	6¾	6	6⅛	— ⅝
Con. Can. com.	50½	48¾	50	— ½
Do. pfd.	104½	104½	104½	— ½
Continental Motors	7¾	7½	6¾	— ⅝
Corn Prod.	153	151	153	+ 1½
Do. pfd.	121½	121¼	121¾	+ ¼
Coudes Oil	35⅝	31½	35¼	+ 2¾
Crucible Steel	67¾	66¼	66¾	— ¾
Cuba Cane Sug.	9¾	8¾	8⅞	— ⅛
Cuba Cane Sug. pfd.	50½	52¾	52¾	+ 2¼
Cuban Am. Sugar	34⅝	33½	33½	+ ⅛
Do. pfd.	96½	96	96	— 1
Cuyamel Fruit	66¾	63¼	64	— 1¾
Davison Chem.	81¾	72¾	77	+ 2½
DeBeers	20	20	19⅝	— ⅛
Del. & Hudson	109	107	106¼	— 2¾
Del. L. & W.	117	115	114	— 2½
Dome Mines	19½	19¼	19¼	— ¼
Dupont Pfd.	134½	129	130	— 4
Earl Kodak	169½	167¼	167¼	— 2¼
Elec. Stor. Bat.	61	61¼	60	— 3
Elkhorn	13	12½	12½	— ¼
Erie 1st pfd.	63½	59¾	60¾	— 2¾
Erie	21¾	19½	20⅞	— ⅝
Erie 1st pfd.	29¾	28¼	28¾	— ⅝
Erie 2nd pfd.	26	24¼	25¼	— ⅝
Famous Players	71⅝	68½	67¾	— 3⅝
Do. pfd.	87	85	85	— 2
Fed. M. & S. com.	10	9¾	9	— ⅛
Do. pfd.	42	42	42¼	+ ¼
Fisher Bodies	176	174	176	+ 1
Fisk Tire & R.	8¾	7⅝	8	+ ⅛
Fleischman Co.	45¾	44¾	44	— 1⅝
Freeport Tex.	13	12¾	12¾	— ¼
Gen. mn. Tank	47¾	44¼	44¼	— 3½
Gen. Asphalt com.	57	54	55¾	— 1¼
Do. pfd.	69	67	69	+ 1
Gen. Cigars	86½	84	86	+ 1½
Gen. Elec.	297½	292½	296	— ½
Gen. Motors com.	15¾	14¾	15	— ¼
Do. 6s. pfd.	101¾	99¾	100	— ¼
Do. 6s. deb.	82¾	80	80	— 2¾
Do. 7s. deb.	98	96	97	— 1
Gimbel Bros.	48¾	47½	47½	— 1¼
Goldwyn Pictures	9¾	8¾	9	— ¼
Goodrich Rub. Co.	25½	21¾	22	— 3½
Do. pfd.	74¾	74¼	73¾	— ¾
Goodyear pfd.	41	39½	40	— 1
Do. preferred	91½	90	90	— 1
Granby	15⅞	15¼	15¼	— ⅝
Gray & Davis	27	26¼	26¾	— ¼
Great Cannon	15⅞	15	14¾	— ⅝
Gt. No. Ore. Ctfs.	30½	28½	28¾	— 1¾
Gt. Northern pfd.	58½	54¾	57¼	— ¼
Guantanamo Sug.	7¾	6¾	7	— ⅝
Gulf S. Steel	81⅝	80¾	82	+ ½
Hayes Wheel	43½	43¼	43¼	— ¼
Hendee Mfg.	21½	20½	19¾	— 1¾
Homestake Min.	57½	54½	54	— 3
Household Prods.	34	33½	33¾	— ¼
Houston Oil	60½	59¾	60¼	+ ¾
H. S. Mullinex	31	29½	29½	— 2¼
Hudson Motors	28½	27¾	28¾	
Hupp Motors	22½	17½	17¾	— 4¾
Ill. Cent.	103	101¾	101¾	— ¼
Imp's Cap. Co.	26½	24½	26	+ 1½
Interboro Rap. Transit	14¼	11¾	11¾	— 1⅝
Intl. Agri.	1			
Internat. Comb.	25	23¾	24	— 1⅛
Intl. Cement	42	41	41	— ½
Intl. Harv. com.	77½	76¼	76	— 1¼
Intl. Marine com.	7⅝	6¾	6¾	
Do. pfd.	38⅞	38	38	— ¼
Intl. Nickel	14⅝	12½	13⅜	+ 1⅛
Intl. Paper	37½	33¾	36½	+ 2½
Invincible Oil	12½	10½	12¼	+ 1½
Iron Prods.	54½	51¾	52	— 1⅝
Island Tex.	19½	18	18	— 1½
Jones Tex.	25⅞	21	21½	— 3⅞
Julius-Kayser	36½	34	34¾	— ½
K. C. Southern	20½	18¾	18¾	— 1
Do. pfd.	53	52¾	52	— ⅝
Kelsey Wheel	8	8	8	
Kell. Sp. com.	33½	32½	32½	— ¾
Kennecott Co.	35	33¾	34½	
Keystone T. Co.	3½	3	3	— ¼
Kresge	299	289	290	— 6

	High.	Low.	Bid.	Net Change.
Laclede Gas com.	78½	78¼	77¾	— ¼
Lee Tire	15¼	14	14	— 1¼
Lehigh Valley	63¾	60¾	60½	— 2¾
Lig. & Myers	240	238	225	— 13
Lima Loco.	87	84¾	85¾	+ ⅞
Lewis Inc.	19¼	17¾	17¾	— ⅝
Loft Candy	8½	7½	7½	— ⅝
Loose W Dis. Co.	68½	63	62	— 1½
Lorillard Tob. Co.	182¾	175¾	176	— ½
Louisv. & Nashv.	91¾	90	90	+ ½
Mack Truck	90⅝	87	89¾	+ ⅝
Macy, R. H.	66	64½	64½	— 1½
Magma Copper	31	30	30	
Manati Sugar	64½	62¼	62	+ 3½
Manhattan Gtd.			38	+ 2¼
Man. Mod. Gtd.	33½	29¾	30	— 3
Manhattan Shirt	45¾	43	44½	+ 1
Market St. Ry.	13	12	10	— 3½
Do. pfd.	38	38	35	— 3
Do. 2nd pfd.	30	30	30	
Do. prior pfd.	70	67	65½	— 4½
Martand Oil	37¾	32	36¾	+ 2¾
Martin Parry	35¾	33	35	— ¾
Mat. Mot. "A"	50¾	47	47¾	+ 1¼
Do. "B"	14⅝	13¾	13¾	— ⅝
Max. Dept. Stores com.	85¾	84½	84½	— 1¼
McIntyre Pors.	18½	18	17½	— ⅝
Maracaibo Oil	25½	25	25	— ⅛
Max. Seaird Oil	15¾	12⅝	15	+ 1⅝
Miami Cop. Co.	22⅜	21⅝	22	+ ⅛
Middle St. Oil	6¾	6	6¼	— ⅛
Minn. & St. L.	1¾	1⅝	1⅝	— ⅛
M. St. P. & S. S. M.	49	47	46	— 3
Mo. Kan. & T. new	13¾	11¾	12	— 1⅝
Do. pfd. new	33	30½	31¼	— 1⅝
Mo. Pac.	11	9¾	9¾	— 1⅛
Do. pfd.	29½	27¾	28¼	— 1⅛
Mont. Pow. com.	61½	61	60¾	— ¾
Mont. Ward. com.	25⅝	24½	25	— ⅝
Moon Motors	27½	25¾	27	+ 1⅝
Mother Lode Coalit.	9¾	8½	8½	— ⅝
Mullin's Boiler				
Nat. Biscuit	52½	50¾	51	— 1⅝
Nat. Enamel	43¾	39¾	40	+ ⅛
Do. pfd.			82	+ 1
Nat. Lead	136¾	125½	128	
Nat. Cas.	13¾	12¾	12	— ¾
N. O. T. & M. Ry. Co.	80	85¾	86	— 2
N. Y. Air Brake	41⅞	40	41½	
N. Y. Dock	44¾	44¾	44¾	
N. Y. Cent	107¼	104¾	105½	— ¾
N. Y. Dock com.			37	— ½
N. Y. N. H. & H.	15	13¾	13¾	— ¾
N. Y. Ont. & W.	17½	16	16	— 1
No. Pac.	104	102¾	102¾	— 1¼
No. American	23¾	22¾	22¾	
Nor. Pac.	85	81¾	82½	— 1¾
Nor. States Pow.	57	56	56	— 1
Ohio Fuel	28¾	27¾	28	— ¼
Ohio Oil	41¾	40¾	41	— ¼
Ont. Silver	9¾	8¾	8¾	— ⅝
Orpheum	18½	18½	18½	— ¼
Otis Steel	10¾	9¾	9¾	— ¾
Owens Bottle	45¾	43¾	43¾	— 1¾
Pacific Mail	10¾	10	10	— ¼
Pacific G. & E.	83	81¾	82¾	— ¼
Pacific Oil	42¾	42¼	42¾	+ ⅜
Packard Motors	17⅜	16¾	16¾	— ⅝
Pan-Am. Pet.	92¾	92¼	90	— 2¾
Do. "B"	61¾	59¾	60	— 1¾
Penn. R.R. Co.	42¾	42	42	— ¾
Penna. Seaboard Steel	37½	35¾	35¾	— 1¾
People's Gas	97½	95¾	95¾	— 1¾
Pere Marq. com.	42¾	41¾	41	— 1½
Do. pfd.	60	60	60	
Do. prior pfd.	71	71	71	
Phila. Co.	43½	42½	42½	— ¾
Phillip Morris	24⅝	21½	23¾	+ 1⅝
Phillips Pet.	34	32	33¾	+ ¾
Pierce Oil com.	20⅛	19¾	19¾	— ⅜
Pierce-Arrow com.	10⅝	9¾	10¼	— ⅛
Do. pfd.	29¾	25¾	28¾	+ 2¾
Pierce Oil com.	4	3¾	3¾	— ⅛
Do. pfd.	29½	25½	28¾	+ 2¾
Pitts. Coal	61	60½	60½	— ½
Do. pfd.	98	98	98	
Pitts & W. Va. com.	40⅞	37½	39¾	— 1⅛
Do. pfd.	80¾	80	80	
Postum	55¾	55¼	55¼	— ½
Press. Steel Car.	55	54¾	54	
Do. pfd.			93	
Prod. & Ref.	29¾	25¾	29	+ 2¾
Pub. Ser. N. J.	44	43	43½	— ¼
Pullman Co.	124¾	122¾	123	— 1¾
Punta Allegre Sugar	57¾	53	56½	+ 2¾
Radio	70½	65¾	66¾	— 3¾
Rand Mines	32¾	32¾	32½	— ¼
Ray Cons.	13¾	13¼	13¼	— ¼
Rc. Steel Spg.	109	109	109	
Do. pfd.	113½	113½	113½	+ ¼
Reading	79¾	78¾	78¾	— ¾
Do. 1st pfd.	58¾	57¾	57¾	— ¾
Do. 2nd pfd.	55¾	54¾	54¾	— ¾
Remington T. W.	31	30½	30½	— ¼
Replogle Steel	13¾	12¾	12¾	— ¾
Rep. I. & S.	49¾	48¾	48¾	— ¾
Do. pfd.	93	92¾	92¾	— ¼
Reynolds Tob. "B"	74¾	71¾	73¾	— ¼
Reynolds Steel Spgs.	24¾	23¾	23¾	— ¾
Royal Dutch N. Y.	50¾	47	47¾	+ 1¼
Savage Arms	35½	33	33½	+ ¼
Seaboard Air Line	7¾	6½	6¾	— ⅛
Do. pfd.	15⅝	13¾	14	
Sears Roebuck Co.	83	81¾	82¾	— ¼
Seneca Copper	6½	5¾	6	— ⅛
Shattuck Copper	7	6¾	6¾	— ⅛
Shell Tr. & Roy.	23¾	21¾	21¾	— 1¾
Shell Union Oil	16	15¾	15¾	— ¼
Simmons Bed	26½	25	24¾	— 1¾
Sinclair Pete.	21½	19½	19¾	— 1¾
Do. new	20½	20	20	— ¼
Skelly Oil	24½	22	24¾	+ 2¼
Sloss Sheff. Co.	80½	54	59¾	— 20¾
Sou. Pacific	86½	85¾	87¼	+ ¾
Sou. Ry.	38	37	37¾	— ⅛
Do. pfd.	67¾	67	67	
Spicer Mfg. Co.	17¾	14	16¾	— ¾
Standard Oil Calif.	59	58½	59	+ ¾
Do. N. J.	37	35½	36¾	+ ¾
Do. pfd.	117	116¾	116¾	— ¼
Sterling Prods.	59	58¾	58½	— ¼
Superior Steel	33	32	32	— ¾
Stewart Warner	91¾	89¾	90	— 1¾
St. Joseph Lead	23½	22½	22¾	+ ¼
St. L. S. F. com.	19¾	19	19	— ¼
Do. 1st pfd.	42¾	41¾	41¾	— ¼
St. L. S. W.	34½	32¾	32¾	— 1¼
Do. pfd.	58½	58½	57	— 1½
Stromberg	86½	81¾	81	— 5¼
Studebaker com.	108¾	104½	105¾	— 1¾
Do. pfd.			115	
Superior Oil	2¾	2	2¼	+ ⅛
Tenn. Copper	9¾	9¼	9¼	— ¼
Tex. Gulf S. S.	58½	58	58½	— ¼
Texas Oil	40¾	42¾	42¾	+ 1¾
Tex. Pac.	21	19¾	19¾	— 1¼
Tex. & Pac. C. & O.	12¾	9	12	+ 2¾
Third Ave. Ry.	16	9	12	+ 2¾
Timken Roll Bearings	39¾	38¾	38¾	— ¾
Tob. Prod.	76¾	72	74½	— 1
Do. "A"	97¾	91½	93¾	— 2¾
Trans. Con. Oil	3

Last Minute News From Petroleum Fields and Marts of Trade

SIGNAL HILL HAS PRODUCTION CUT

Field Experiences Poorest Week in Months

Total Output Lowered Two Thousand Barrels

Coming Period Has Bright Prospects

By a "Times" Staff Correspondent.

LONG BEACH, Dec. 16.—Two new wells, both in the northwest extension of the Signal Hill field, went off production Friday evening, bringing the field's daily average production down from approximately 232,000 to about 230,000 barrels. The played-out wells are the California Co-operative No. 2 on Elm avenue south of Frankfort street, and Commonwealth No. 1 at Atlantic and Brandon avenues.

Both wells died as a result of asserted depletion of gas pressure, after producing in the neighborhood of 800 barrels a day each during the past few weeks.

SIX FINISHED

In point of new completions the week was one of the poorest in recent months. There were six wells finished, with a total production of 6900 barrels. One of the new wells, the Hub Oil Company's Beck No. 2, turned wet after flowing for a day and was bailed.

Prospects for a good-sized list of new producers for the forthcoming week are excellent, operators say. On nearly a score of new or deepened wells complete or nearly complete drilling operations are reported.

Noteworthy among these are the Shell Company's Babb No. 3, which started a flow into the sump Saturday morning. There was plenty of mud and emulsion and a little oil, it was said. The Babb was completed at 4350 feet.

GOOD FLOW EXPECTED

The Interstate Oil Company completed its Peck No. 2 and set liner and tubing for swabbing Saturday night. The well is an outpost, located on the extreme north edge of the field, on Peck street between Walnut and Cherry avenues. It has approximately 300 feet of oil-bearing formation exposed, reports state.

Another well about ready for production, according to all indications, is the Melachrino No. 1 at Atlantic avenue and Brandon street. Swabbing operations were under way yesterday and considerable gas "kick" was shown. The Melachrino is down 4300 feet.

HOLES DEEP

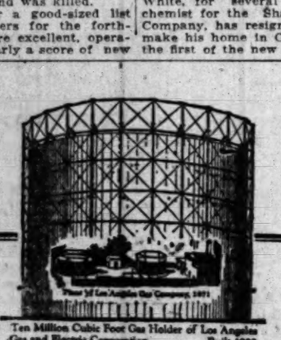
Following out its policy of bailing from bottom, the Pan-American Petroleum Company was yesterday striving to bring in its Union Pacific No. 8, along the railroad right of way. The well is an offset of the Jergins wells on city-owned property, and was completed at 5012 feet.

The United Oil Company is bailing for a water test at the 4225-foot level in its Haas No. 4. The well is bottomed at 5058 feet. Haas No. 5 cemented the surface string at 1520 feet Saturday.

MINE CHEHIST QUITS

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

BISBEE (Ariz.) Dec. 16.—C. E. White, for several years chief chemist for the Shattuck-Arizona Company, has resigned and will make his home in California after the first of the new year.



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A Mile Too Much

IN conversation recently, Mr. J. A. Graves, President of the Farmers and Merchants National Bank, recalled an incident which very interestingly reflects something of the attitude towards the future which was held by Los Angeles business men thirty-five years ago:

"In 1888, Charles E. Simpkins, who owned the Los Angeles gas works, imported a cargo or two of cast iron pipe. It came from the eastern states, areound the Horn.

"When he laid this pipe in all those portions of the City of Los Angeles that then wanted to use gas, he had one mile of four-inch cast iron pipe on hand He did not believe he would ever want to use it in the gas business. For that reason, he sold it to Mr. J. M. Griffith for the price that he, Simpkins, paid for it in the eastern market. Mr. Griffith laid it from a property he owned, now in Alhambra, up into the Stoneman Canyon. The property is now owned by Mrs. J. A. Graves. The pipe was laid through the Stoneman vineyard, following rows which had been planted at different times, and is full of many acute angles. For that reason, it has never been able to carry the water which it should.

"Mrs. Graves is now taking this pipe up, and it is as good as the day it was laid.

"But think of it! Simpkins sold it at a loss, because he thought Los Angeles at that time had reached the limit of its growth."

That mile of gas pipe would not go far today to meet the needs of the Los Angeles public, for whose service Los Angeles Gas and Electric Corporation this year will have installed 250 miles of gas mains of various sizes up to 30 inches in diameter.

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REVIEW OF OIL ACTIVITY

Week of Surprises; Northern Part of State Makes Petroleum Strike; Torrance Develops Angles

BY HOWARD C. KEGLEY

Thirty new oil wells were completed in California during the week which ended Saturday. The week was full of surprises. A new field was discovered in the northern part of the State; Torrance completed eleven wells and her production in about that number of old ones slumped anywhere from 30 to 50 per cent; Santa Fe Springs fell below 200,000 barrels a day for the first time in the history of that wondrous petroleum field, and Torrance obtained permits to drill twelve more wells.

One of the biggest surprises was the reported discovery of a good well at Halfmoon Bay, in San Mateo county, an hour's ride south from San Francisco. Reports are to the effect that the La Honda Oil Fields Association finished a hole there at 3200 feet which is thought to be capable of yielding from 1000 to 1500 barrels a day. There have been messages from San Francisco to local operators to the effect that it is nothing more than a hole filled with water, but reliable engineers have volunteered the assurance that the association has a real well.

SPRINGS FIELD OFF

Santa Fe Springs is now down to 190,000 barrels a day and Huntington Beach has declined to 65,000 a day, although some of the big wells along Redondo-Long Beach Boulevard, in the Torrance field, are dropping off surprisingly.

Latest information from producing centers in Oklahoma, Kansas, Texas, Arkansas and Louisiana is that proration of oil runs has ceased and that the pipe-line purchasers of crude oil are now making connections with all wells and running all the oil. An occasional small refiner, anxious to get high-gravity crude near his plant, is offering a small premium, which is of significance only as an indication that so-called "free oil" is not now in evidence.

Powell, near Corsicana, Central Texas, is now the only field with commanding production—being the greatest producer in the United States—suddenly dropped to 100,000 barrels and seems all in. It is not likely that development work will be active anywhere in the Mid-Continent region during the winter months, encouraging the hope that crude oil quotations will not go any lower and may start to advance early in 1924, or at least may start to advance whenever California production declines to a stage where shipments to Atlantic and Gulf of Mexico refineries can no longer be regularly maintained. Operators who keep in touch with interstate shipments believe that when California production is down to 500,000 barrels a day intercoastal shipments practically will cease.

California production now being around 740,000 barrels a day and declining at the rate of 4 per cent monthly, the home consumption deadline may be reached about April 1, next. In this estimate there must be reckoned the regular and continued increase in the new Torrance field and the opening up of about 100,000 barrels a day shut-in production in the northern fields and perhaps a little in the southern fields.

OUTLOOK NOT ALARMING

A few technologists are beginning to predict that by July, 1924, or within eight months, there will be something of a crude oil shortage in the United States which will necessitate a sharp advance in quotations to encourage the search for new producing territory and intensive drilling for production.

Crude oil is expected to be in better demand next year, and quotations may advance somewhat, but there will be no embarrassing shortage, from present indications.

Torrance hit the high mark as a producer of new wells during the week, completing eleven, while Santa Fe Springs finished eight, Long Beach completed six and Huntington Beach three. The new wells were as follows:

HUNTINGTON BEACH

Chickasa Oil Company, Woolner No. 2, 750 barrels at 4908 feet.
Holly Oil Company, No. 3, 200 barrels at 4797 feet.
Julian Petroleum Corporation, Grant No. 8, pumping 115 barrels at 4455 feet.

LONG BEACH

United Oil Company, Deani No. 4, 1500 barrels at 3705 feet.
U. S. Royalties, No. 8, 800 barrels at 4970 feet.
Shell Company, Ness No. 4-A, 1500 barrels at 5005 feet.
Shell Company, Connette 1-A, 100 barrels (Billed) at 5220 feet.
Hub Oil Company, Beck No. 2, 1000 barrels at 2157 feet.
Shell Company, Andrews No. 5, 2000 barrels at 5097 feet.

SANTA FE SPRINGS

Oscar Howard, Howard No. 5, 1300 barrels at 4585 feet.
Shell Company, G-H-N No. 10, 1100 barrels at 4646 feet.
Buckeye Union Oil Company, No. 5, 400 barrels at 4580 feet.
Wilshire Oil Company, Baker, 90 barrels at 4575 feet.
Universal Oil Company, Blanchard No. 5, 700 barrels at 4900 feet.
C. C. Julian, No. 11, 225 barrels at 4602 feet.
Ambassador Oil Company, Baker No. 5, 700 barrels at 4685 feet.
General Petroleum Corp., No. 8, 1000 barrels at 4706 feet.

TORRANCE

Sentinal Oil Company, Joughin No. 1, 2000 barrels at 3520 feet.
Leonard Wells, No. 1, 2000 barrels at 3782 feet.
Sprague Oil Company, No. 1, 1400 barrels at 3801 feet.
A. B. Ruddock, No. 1, 1000 barrels at 3725 feet.
Petroleum Securities, No. 4, 1100 barrels at 3750 feet.
Chanslor-Canfield Midway Co., No. 16, 800 barrels at 3730 feet.
Chanslor-Canfield Midway Co., No. 23, 1500 barrels at 3770 feet.
North American Consolidated, No. 2, 700 barrels at 3774 feet.
McDonnell Corporation, T-L, No. 1, 650 barrels at 3740 feet.
Bush & Vosmik, Rogers No. 1, 800 barrels at 3730 feet.
Selby & Root, No. 4, 1000 barrels at 3740 feet.

HOVEY HILLS

Formax Oil Company, Formax No. 9, completed at 1067 feet.

LA HONDA

La Honda Oil Fields Associated, No. 1, 1000 barrels at 3200 feet.

Thirteen new wells for Southern California were authorized in permits issued by the local office of the State Mining Bureau. Of that number the Torrance field gets twelve, while San Bernardino county starts another wildcat hole. The permits follow:

PERMITS FOR NEW WELLS

Marker & Collier, Ranger 1, San Bernardino county.
McDonnal Corp., 3, Torrance.
Superior Oil Co., Torrance 11, Torrance.
Superior Oil Co., Torrance 12, Torrance.
C. C. M. O. Co., Torrance 31, Torrance.
Barnett Rosenburg, Gladys 2, Torrance.
Universal Cons. Co., Moore 6, Torrance.
Cook Drilling Corp., 3, Torrance.
C. C. M. O. Co., Torrance 28, Torrance.
C. C. M. O. Co., Torrance 29, Torrance.
C. C. M. O. Co., Kettler 3, Torrance.
C. C. M. O. Co., Kettler 4, Torrance.
Bankline Oil Co., Bethune 1, Torrance.

WATER SHUT-OFF TEST

Hakework & Brunwin, Hamlin 1, Torrance.
Julian Petro. Corp., Spitzlinger 1, Torrance.
Shermut Corp., 3, Montebello.
Shell Co. of California, Slusher 6-A, Santa Fe Springs.
Standard Oil Co., Weisel 12, Santa Fe Springs.
G. B. Rush, 2, Torrance.
Fisher Gregg Extension, 1, Torrance.
W. F. Gallagher, 1, Long Beach.
First National Petro. Co. 1, Santa Fe Springs.
Standard Oil Co., Baldwin 62, Montebello.
W. Virpillat, 1, Torrance.
Cunningham & Kyle, 1, Torrance.
Petro. Midway Co., Rock Comm. 1, Torrance.
U. S. Royalties Co., 11, Torrance.
U. S. Royalties Co., S-A, Long Beach.
Standard Oil Co., Weisel 10, Santa Fe Springs.
Ambassador Petro. Co., Baker 5, Santa Fe Springs.
F. E. Foster & Co., 60, Torrance.
Union Oil Co. of California, Howard 7, Santa Fe Springs.
Petro. Midway Co., Matern One 2, Santa Fe Springs.
Industrial Oil Synd., 12, Santa Fe Springs.
Wiedemer Gray Oil Co. Coss, 2, Orange county.
Pan-American Petro. Co., 3, Huntington Beach.
Weinburg-Nuetzel Synd., 1, Long Beach.
T. J. Cannon Drilling and Supply Co., 1, Torrance.
E. G. B. Oil Synd., 1, Santa Fe Springs.
Shell Co. of California, Slusher 7, Santa Fe Springs.
Shell Co. of California, Slusher 9, Santa Fe Springs.

DEEPENING JOBS

Standard Oil Co., Torrance Comm. 4, Torrance.
Petro. Midway Co., Elliott 2, Huntington Beach.

ABANDONED WELLS

Golden West Synd., 1, Long Beach.
McIntyre Bros., Garner-Kelly 4, Long Beach.
Oak Ridge Oil Co., Dominguez 1, Los Angeles county.

Oil Operators Start Activity at Maricopa

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

MARICOPA, Dec. 16.—The success of the Bush well on Maricopa Flat, owned by the Transport Oil Company, has spurred three companies to action and as many wells are to be drilled at once within a radius of a few hundred yards from the big producer. The nearest well to the Bush will be the No. 4 of the Calitroleum Company, which will be started at once as a diagonal offset about 400 feet directly northwest of the Transport on Section 4, 11-23.

The Pacific Oil Company will drill a quarter of a mile east of the Bush on Section 3, 11-23.

The United-Richfield is getting ready to drill on Section 10, 11-23 on land under lease from the Belridge Oil Company, which owns a government permit on 80 acres in the northwest quarter of the section.

The Lakeview No. Two Oil Company is preparing to bring in its No. 8 well, which was drilled to the Calitroleum and Bush sands after those companies proved successful. It is the first well this company has drilled to such depth and every indication points to a successful completion, it is reported.

New Company Joins Buyers of California Oil

When the Halo sailed from Los Angeles Harbor recently with 75,000 barrels of California crude oil, for Fall River, Mass., a new buyer entered the field. The cargo is for the Cities Service Refining Company, a subsidiary just organized by the Cities Service Company, New York, to operate a 10,000-barrel refinery at the Massachusetts.

This refinery, built to operate on Mexican crude, after two years of erratic experience, recently was acquired by Henry L. Doherty & Co., and will now run on both California and Mexican crudes. Four other tankers will follow the Halo in regular service to Los Angeles and Tampico for the new company, which has a capitalized value of $5,000,000 and an issue of bonds for $2,500,000 now being offered. This is the first venture of the Cities Service people in the California crude-oil market.

CONNOLLY IN CITY

Pioneer Oil Operator May Look Into Situation Here

David F. Connolly, accompanied by Mrs. Connolly and Miss Connolly, is spending several months of the winter in California, having taken a residence. Mr. Connolly, without an official title, is adviser to C. F. Lufkin, chairman of the board of the Texas Company, New York headquarters. His territory is the world, but he rarely leaves the United States.

Mr. Connolly has been an oil operator since early boyhood—tool dresser, driller, contractor, operator and corporation executive—and does his own interpreting. He was one of the first easterners to go to Indian Territory when oil was discovered there in 1900 and his operations are said to have resulted in a comfortable competence.

The Texas Company is about the only one of the major eastern corporations that has had no relations with California's petroleum output. It is not improbable that Mr. Connolly will investigate the possibilities of the situation, for his company is one of the strongest producers, refiners, transporters, distributors and exports of petroleum in this county.

INTEREST IN TORRANCE OIL WELLS

More Operations Started by Companies Since Huge Strikes Recently

With two good producers on the far east side of the Torrance field, considerable attention is being given that territory, since the Sentinel and Standard Oil companies completed their wells. The Shell Company is starting three wells, two on the forty-acre March lease, offsetting the Sentinel's Joughin No. 1 on the north, and one on the Kettler lease, just west of the Joughin well.

The Standard is starting two new wells, one on the seventeen-acre Interstate lease, west of the Shell wells and south of Standard's Dominguez No. 1, and one a few hundred feet north of Dominguez No. 1, on the Dominguez Land Corporation's 137-acre lease. The Sentinel is starting its second well on the Joughin lease, offsetting the Joughin No. 1 on the west, while E. J. Miley is rigging up a well to the west of the Superior.

The Sentinel's Joughin No. 1, which blew in ten days ago, was not placed on production until Friday. It was the first well to prove up the east end of the field, but was killed to be drilled deeper. Three days after it blew in, the Standard brought in its Dominguez No. 1. The latter well is not as big a producer as the Sentinel well being rated at 2000 barrels, and the gravity is not so high. It was not drilled quite so deep, which may account for the difference in production and gravity. The Sentinel well is believed to be nearer the apex of the structure. Neither well was swabbed or bailed down prior to being brought in.

Virtually all the territory in the immediate vicinity of the Standard and Sentinel wells was leased long before they were brought in. On the south the leased area runs for nearly a mile and almost as far to the east. About the only unleased property now lies north and east of Standard.

The Shell's Keystone No. 1, a half-mile east of the Standard is reported down about 3600 feet and is said to be nearly ready to cement.

R. W. Edens yesterday was reported to be preparing to put the former Peterson-Barker well, a mile north of the Standard, on the pump for a production test. He was unable to get the well to flow. The bottom of the hole is only four inches and the well has been recemented four times to shut off the water. It is thought by drillers that nothing better than a pumper can be made out of this hole.

Tom Reed Firm May Take Over Katherine Mine

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

OATMAN (Ariz.) Dec. 16.—There are reports that negotiations have been concluded under which the Tom Reed Gold Mines Company is to take over the much-advertised Katherine property, near the Colorado River, obtaining a large part of the stock issue in exchange for doing needed development work and providing a large milling plant.

The Katherine has been developed to 600 feet of depth and is said to have outlined on that and upper levels an immense body of gold ore of fair grade. It is understood that the Tom Reed engineers have turned in a report that profit can be expected in large measure as soon as the mill is started, following up the proper opening of ore faces.

For more than a year, the Katherine was given broad publicity as a bonanza of wonderful sort. For the last year little has been heard from it, as the operating corporation had, it is asserted, used up its capital before providing an income. Much of the stock is held in Los Angeles and San Francisco. The Katherine district has many "extension" companies, several of which are said to have very good mineral showings. But the district as a whole has been inactive for some time past.

KERN WELL STARTED

Only Effort of Week in Kern District Under Way

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

TAFT, Dec. 16.—The Chanslor-Camfield Midway Oil Company has "spudded" in a new well in the Midway district, the only one to be started in Kern county during the week.

The well is located on section 25, 31-22 and is the company's No. 15. Three tests for water shut-off are reported by the C.C.M.O. Company. They are the No. 2, section 4, 32-23; No. 19, section 25, 32-22; No. 33, section 22, 31-22; all in the Midway field. Other tests made in the Midway were two wells for the Honolulu Consolidated Oil Company, Nos. 12 and 68, on sections 8, 32-24, and 6, 32-24, respectively.

In the Sunset field the Calitroleum Oil and Gas Company is redrilling its No. 1 well and doing other repair work.

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22 to 22.9	.63	.63
23 to 23.9	.64	.63
24 to 24.9	.65	.71
25 to 25.9	.66	.71
26 to 26.9	.67	.77
27 to 27.9	.68	.80
28 to 28.9	.69	.83
29 to 29.9	.70	.86
30 to 30.9	.71	.89
31 to 31.9	.72	.92
32 to 32.9	.73	.93
33 to 33.9	.74	.99
34 to 34.9	.75	1.01
35 degrees and over	.76	1.04
Fuel oil, per bbl.		$1.00
Gasoline, per gal. (Including State Tax)		.15
Kerosene, per gal.		.12½
Distillate, per gal.		.12½

SANTA FE FIELD OUTPUT SLUMPS

Production is Below Normal for First Time

This in Face of Addition of Eight New Wells

Little Change in Conditions in Last Ten Days

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE]

SANTA FE SPRINGS, Dec. 16. Production in the Santa Fe Springs field fell below 200,000 barrels a day last week for the first time since the field hit its stride several months ago. This, too, in spite of the fact that eight new wells were added to the list of producers. Oil men place the burden of blame on the pumber of wells which have been taken off production, to be rigged for pumping, because of diminishing gas pressure.

Conditions in the various extensions of the field, where test wells are being drilled are practically the same as they were ten days ago, although the outlook is thought to be rather favorable for new production.

A well being drilled by the Burbank Oil Company in the section adjacent to Telegraph Road, west of the river, is commanding considerable attention. This well is down 4100 feet and conditions are reported to be favorable for a commercial well. The cores recently taken have cut oil, it is said. Several sands and geological structures have been encountered which are regarded as indicative of production. The Commercial Refinery test well is down 4900 feet and is looking favorable, it is stated. Cores taken cause the drillers to believe that a sand is being reached.

LEASING SLACKENS

The Standard Oil Company's test on the Houghton lease is down to 5000 feet without any showings which would cause a flurry in leases. When the well was drilling at 4600 feet several rigs were erected, but no drilling has been started.

The Sanchez well of the Standard Oil Company, being drilled close to the townsite of Los Nietos is showing oil formations and should become a commercial producer it is believed. The field men have ordered tanks built and pipe-line connections made ready for the flow if it develops.

The Oakridge well near Bandini station is being cemented for the second time, the first test for water shut-off showed water. This has made impossible a real production test of the property although the Ventura Company thought enough of the outlook to have tanks erected on the property.

The largest well of the week was drilled by Oscar Howard on location 2½ Co. 5. The well made a flow of 1300 barrels from a depth of 4585 feet. The oil tested 34 degrees gravity. Howard has been unusually successful in securing commercial wells in the Santa Fe Springs field.

The Shell Company placed another G.H.N. producer on the pipe line when No. 10 was drilled in. This well made a flow of 1100 barrels of oil the first day. It was drilled 4646 feet deep. The oil in the well tests 34 degrees gravity. Several other wells are being drilled by the Shell Company on this property and several are producing from the Meyer sand.

No. 5 well of the Buckeye Union Oil Company was placed on production Tuesday with a flow of 400 barrels. This well was drilled 4580 feet deep. The oil tests 32 degrees gravity. The well is located alongside Telegraph Road east of the Four Corners.

ON PRODUCTION

A well making ninety barrels of oil daily was placed on production by the Wilshire Oil Company, drilling on the Baker property. This well, which is not far distant from the Santa Fe Railroad right of way, was drilled 4575 feet deep. It is believed that this well will be deepened and that the flow may be increased as a result.

A 2000-barrel well was drilled by the Universal Consolidated Oil Company on the Blanchard No. 5 location. This well was drilled 4600 feet deep. This is the last well to be drilled here by this company, it is asserted.

The No. 11 well making 225 barrels of oil the first twenty-four hours was completed by C. C. Julian. It was drilled 4602 feet deep and flowed. It was killed in order that it might be deepened.

The General Petroleum Corporation's Santa Fe No. 8 touched the producing sand after being drilled 4700 feet. The well shot forth oil and gas which was allowed to go into the sump. An estimate of the production has not been made. The General Petroleum is drilling fourteen other wells in the Santa Fe Springs field.

The Ambassador Oil Company finished Baker No. 5, which made an initial flow of 700 barrels from a depth said to have been near 4680 feet. The lease is situated on Little Lake Road, east of Norwalk Road. A number of wells are producing on this property which last summer was the site of one of the largest wells placed on production in the entire field.

The Cal-Petro test southeast of here is standing cemented at 4900 feet, ready for a water shut-off test. The Artesia Oil Company's test southeast of here is standing at 4901 feet, waiting for company readjustments.

SILVER MINERS REST

Tombstone Waiting for Better Prices on White Metal

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

TOMBSTONE (Ariz.) Dec. 16.—The silver miners of the camp are "marking time" till the white metal is in better demand at a higher price. Last month the ore shipments amounted to eighteen carloads, a decrease of three, compared with the previous month. The gross value was about the same.

Most of the output is from leases on the Bunker Hill property of the Phelps-Dodge Corporation, in which are being pursued many small, but rich veins that were passed by in the early-day bonanza operations. Some new ore bodies thus have been located. Deeper exploration is prevented by water, flooding the old main workings.

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ORDINANCE NO. 47562
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An Ordinance calling a special election to be held on the 18th day of December, 1923, in that certain territory contained within the boundaries of Municipal Improvement District No. 2 of the City of Los Angeles, and establishing election precincts for submitting to the qualified electors of said District the proposition of incurring a debt by issuance of bonds of such District for the purpose of improving streets or portion of streets hereinafter specified, by constructing therein pavement consisting of 4 inch bituminous base and 1½ inch Warrenite-Bitulithic wearing surface, cement curbs, cement sidewalks and concrete gutters, including also any culverts or other work that may be necessary or desirable in connection therewith; also including the acquisition of any lands or rights-of-way that may be necessary in connection therewith. The streets and portions of streets hereinbefore referred to are as follows, to wit:

Federal Street, from San Vicente Boulevard to Wilshire Boulevard;
Barry Avenue, from Kiowa Avenue to Wilshire Boulevard;
Barrington Street, from San Vicente Boulevard to Wilshire Boulevard;
Granville Street, from Gorham Avenue to Wilshire Boulevard;
Westgate Avenue, from Montana Avenue to Wilshire Boulevard;
Bundy Drive, from San Vicente Boulevard to Wilshire Boulevard;
Montana Avenue, from San Vicente Boulevard to Bundy Drive;
Gorham Avenue, from San Vicente Boulevard to Bundy Drive;
Dorothy Street from Barrington Street to Bundy Drive;
Darlington Avenue, from San Vicente Boulevard to Bundy Drive;
Mayfield Avenue, from Federal Street to Bundy Drive;
Kiowa Avenue, from Federal Street to Bundy Drive;
Goshen Avenue, from Federal Street to Bundy Drive;
Wilshire Boulevard, from Federal Street to Bundy Drive.

Section 3. That the estimated cost of said improvement is $400,000.00 and the estimated amount of the incidental expenses in connection therewith is $30,000.00.

Section 4. The polls at said election shall be opened at six o'clock a.m. of the day of the election and shall be kept open until seven o'clock p.m., when the polls shall be closed.

Section 5. That there shall be printed on the ballots to be used at said special election, in addition to the other matters required by law, the following proposition to be voted on, to-wit:

"Shall that certain proposed Municipal Improvement District known as Municipal Improvement District No. 21 of the City of Los Angeles, incur a bonded debt of Four Hundred and Thirty Thousand Dollars for the purpose of improving streets or portions of streets hereinafter specified, by constructing therein pavement consisting of 4 inch bituminous base and 1½ inch Warrenite-Bitulithic wearing surface, cement curbs, cement sidewalks and concrete gutters, including also any culverts or other work that may be necessary or desirable in connection therewith; also including the acquisition of any lands or rights-of-way that may be necessary in connection therewith. The streets and portions of streets hereinbefore referred to are as follows, to wit:

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That opposite the above proposition to be voted on and to the right thereof, the words "Yes" and "No" shall be printed on separate lines with voting squares.

Section 6. For the purpose of holding and conducting said special election, the territory in said district above described shall comprise one (1) voting precinct; that the boundaries of said voting precinct shall be as hereinafter set forth; that the polls will be open in said precinct that the place hereinafter designated, and the following named election officers are hereby appointed, to wit:

SPECIAL ELECTION PRECINCT NO. 1.

Consisting of that portion of Los Angeles City precinct No. 539, as said precinct has been fixed and designated by law, lying within the boundaries of said proposed Municipal Improvement District No. 21 of the City of Los Angeles.

Polling Place, 11,814 San Vicente Blvd. (West Los Angeles.)

Inspector, Mrs. Elenora Shannon; Judge, Mrs. Chlotilde Adams; Clerk, Mrs. Ruby R. Crafts.

Section 7. That in all particulars not recited in this ordinance, said election shall be held and conducted as provided by law for holding general municipal elections in said City of Los Angeles.

Section 8. The City Clerk shall certify to the passage of this ordinance by a unanimous vote and cause the same to be published five (5) times in the Los Angeles Daily Times.

I hereby certify that the foregoing ordinance was passed by the Council of the City of Los Angeles by the unanimous vote of all the members of said Council present, there being not less than seven members present at its meeting of December 12, 1923.

JOHN T. DOMINGUEZ, City Clerk.

Approved this 12th day of December, 1923.

GEO. E. CRYER, Mayor.

Notice is hereby given that default having been made by The American Fuel Oil & Transportation Company, Inc., under its indenture to the undersigned, as Trustee, dated July 1, 1921, that the undersigned will cause to be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, at the Exchange Salesrooms, 14-16 Vesey street, New York City, N. Y., at noon, Thursday, January 3, 1924, by Adrian H. Muller & Sons, auctioneers, the following stock held as collateral for the bonds issued under said indenture:

Traders Oil Corporation, 19,184 shares, pfd., par value $100 per share.
Traders Oil Corporation, 23,000 shares, com., par value $100 per share.
Amfot Oil Company, 200,000 shares, com., par value $10 per share.
Waido Oil Company, 1,000 shares, com., par value $100 per share.
Tuxpan Oil Company, 306 shares, com., par value $100 per share.

This property will be sold as an entirety.

Before a person shall be entitled to bid he shall deposit with the undersigned at its office, 120 Broadway, New York City, N. Y., on or before 3 o'clock P. M. January 2nd, 1924, the sum of $6,000 cash.

Any purchaser may pay a portion of the purchase price in the bonds and unpaid coupons issued under said indenture as provided therein.

Detailed terms of the sale will be announced by the Auctioneer at said sale.

EMPIRE TRUST COMPANY, Trustee.
By: FRANCIS HENDERSON, Vice-President, 120 Broadway, New York City, N. Y.

NEW IMPROVEMENT NEAR COMPLETION

Work on the foamite system which is being installed at the tank farm of the Union Oil Company at San Luis Obispo is nearing completion. Two 3000-barrel tanks for foamite, the laying of 5000 feet of six-inch line, 5000 feet of four-inch line and 16,300 feet of three-inch line, represent the improvement.

The San Luis Obispo tank farm includes five large concrete-lined reservoirs and scores of huge steel tanks. It has a capacity of 7,000,000 barrels of oil and is the storage depot for all the crude transported by the Union pipe line system from the San Joaquin Valley fields to tidewater at Port San Luis.

The first ground storage reservoir for oil in the West was built by the Union Oil Company at San Luis Obispo nearly fifteen years ago.

Late Reports From California's Great Petroleum Pools

BULK OF OIL CARGOES GO TO ATLANTIC

Shipments From Local Harbor for Week Total 1,458,000 Barrels

Shipments of crude oil, fuel oil and gasoline in tankers from Los Angeles Harbor during the past week reached a total of 1,458,000 barrels, most of which was shipped to ports on the Atlantic Coast. Of the twenty-one tankers which left port, only seven were destined for Pacific Coast points, twelve for ports on the Atlantic Coast, one for New Orleans on the gulf coast, and one for Tampico, Mex.

The shipments for the week follow:

December 9 — Los Angeles for San Francisco, 58,000 barrels crude for Union Oil.

December 10—La Purisima for San Francisco, 45,000 barrels crude for Union Oil. E. E. Bedford, New York, 100,000 barrels crude for Standard Oil. Tuxpanoli for New York, 68,000 barrels crude for McAlister Brothers.

December 11—Miller County for New York, 68,000 barrels crude for Sun Oil Company. San Gaspar for Tampico, 113,000 barrels crude for Shell Company. Swift Eagle for Fall River, 74,000 barrels crude for Swift Sure Oil Company. Montebello for Martinez, 60,000 barrels for Union Oil. S. M. Spalding for New Mexico, 75,000 barrels crude for Pan-American Petroleum Company.

December 12—Trimountain for Seattle, 60,000 barrels crude for General Petroleum. Algonquin for New York, 59,000 barrels crude for Standard Oil. La Purisima for Port San Luis, 45,000 barrels crude for Union Oil. Dillwyn for Fall River, 85,000 barrels crude for Standard Oil. F. H. Hillman for Providence, 90,000 barrels crude for Standard Oil.

December 13—J. A. Moffatt for San Francisco, 62,000 barrels crude for Standard Oil. Agwimex for Baltimore, 85,000 barrels crude for Associated Oil company. J. A. Moffatt, Jr., for New York, 100,000 barrels crude for Standard Oil.

December 14—H. H. Rogers for New York, 85,000 barrels crude for Standard Oil. Los Angeles for Martinez, 58,000 barrels crude for Union Oil. Livingstone Roe for Bayonne, 76,000 barrels crude for Standard Oil. Walter Jennings for New York, 60,000 barrels crude for Standard Oil

Colorado Well Starts Dispute Over Pipe Line

The big gas well owned by the Union Oil Company in Northern Colorado—now spraying about 500 barrels of oil—is the cause of an interesting complication. H. A. Lindsay, former City Attorney of Denver, J. W. Atkins, a well-known gas and oil operator of Shreveport, La., and G. W. Potter, an oil and gas operator in the Mid-Continent fields, have incorporated the Colorado Gas and Oil Pipe Line Company with capital of $1,000,000 and have applied to the Colorado Public Utilities Commission for a certificate of convenience and necessity predicted upon the construction of a pipe line from the gas well to Denver.

Counsel for the Cities Service Company, operating the Denver light, power and heat franchise, has filed a protest against the issuance of the certificate. Similar public service corporations in Cheyenne, Pueblo, Colorado Springs and other cities within the radius of the possible distribution are said to feel about as the Denver corporation feels. Owning the well and the leasehold of the surrounding acreage, the Union Oil Company will doubtless have quite a bit to say about the sale and eventual distribution of gas and oil from the giant gasser.

Little Material for Oil Wells Is Purchased Here

The chief executive of a well-known manufacturing concern in Ohio which deals in oil-well specialties, in Los Angeles on his semiannual tour of the country's oil fields, says large operating companies in California are now buying little or no material. The three principal producing areas in Southern California have been so well defined and developed that company warehouses are believed to contain enough material to complete necessary drilling obligations.

One major company reports enough material on hand to meet development demands for two years, unless important new territory is opened. Salvage of surface equipment of all kinds, when many drilling rigs are laid off, provides for such new wells as are necessary in many instances.

Material for derricks and rig timbers is in good demand at Torrance and to some extent at Long Beach, requiring new lumber and timbers. Tubing and rods now form a considerable part of subsurface equipment as wells quit flowing and have to be pumped.

In this connection it is generally conceded that sucker-rods for deep-pumping wells will stand up all right, but if any trouble is encountered it will be in maintaining working-barrels long enough to provide relief stages for continuous lifting of the fluid when the gas pressure and accumulations are weak, exhausted or erratic, the supply man thinks. It appears that when many wells quit flowing because of exhausted pressure only a little oil stands up in the casing, which seems to necessitate setting the lifting equipment pretty well down toward the bottom of the hole.

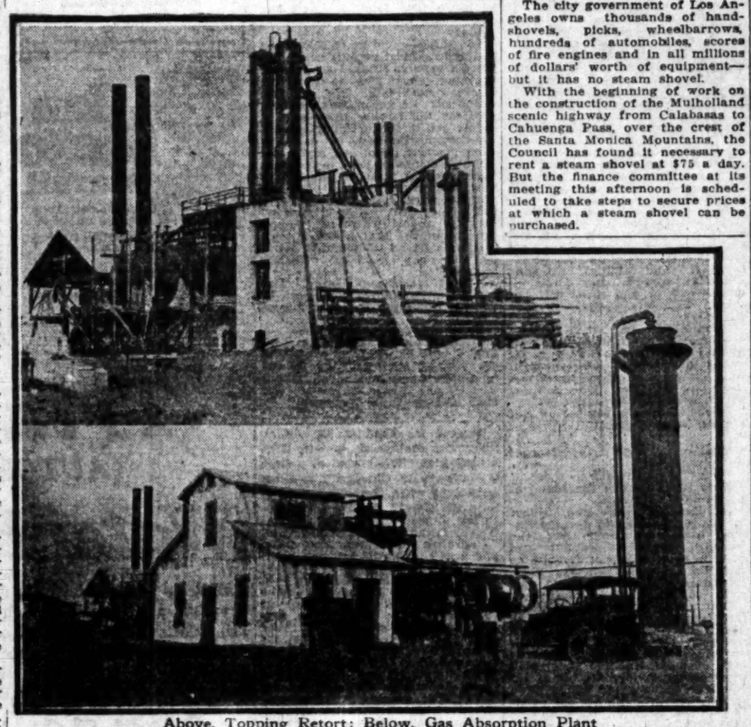
RAIL AGENT SUCCUMBS

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

OMAHA, Dec. 16.—Frank M. Gault, 75 years of age, associated with the Wabash Railroad here twenty years, died at his home, 4304 Main street. Mr. Gault was representative of the freight department of the railroad here. He was general manager of the Omaha-St. Louis Railroad when it was consolidated with the Wabash.

GOES AFTER ORIENTAL OIL TRADE

Local Company Erects Refining Units



Above, Topping Retort; Below, Gas Absorption Plant

A conviction that the Santa Fe Springs oil field will be producing oil for the next twenty years is the reason for establishing a refinery, absorption plant, and carbon black plant in that district, according to J. H. Parker, vice-president and general manager of the California Refineries Company, Inc., and the Santa Fe Carbon Company, which are spending more than $250,000 in construction work at Santa Fe Springs. One of the plants is beginning actual operation this week.

The Santa Fe Carbon Company, which has been operating a plant in Long Beach for some time, is now installing a one-ton unit at Santa Fe Springs, which will shortly be in operation, according to Mr. Parker. It is the company's plan to increase the capacity of the carbon plant to four tons a day during the next six months. Products of the company will include gasoline, fuel oil and carbon black.

CAPACITY ENLARGED

The California Refineries Company, Inc., an entirely different corporation, is a recently organized company, and the Santa Fe Springs plant is its first refinery. The plant has a daily capacity of 3000 barrels, and will manufacture gasoline, kerosene, lubricating and fuel oils. In addition to the refining plant, a complete packing plant for barreling and canning petroleum products is being installed to furnish for the Asiatic market.

According to Mr. Parker it will be cheaper to pack the goods at the refinery and haul it to the ship's side at Los Angeles Harbor, unloading directly into the ship's tackles, than to ship tue goods to Wilmington, pack them there, and then reship to the harbor, paying an extra freight rate and stevedore's charge.

CONTRACTS HELD

Practically the entire output of the refinery has been contracted to the American Asiatic Petroleum Company, Mr. Parker reports, and will be produced exclusively for the trade in the Orient. Santa Fe Spring oil is peculiarly adapted for Australian and Indian markets, Mr. Parker asserts, due to the lack of sulphur content and paraffin base. The Englishmen in those countries demand a higher grade of gasoline and kerosene than American consumers, which puts petroleum products of asphalt base at a disadvantage, he says.

The plants of the two companies will employ about thirty-five men, with a monthly pay roll of about $10,000.

PRODUCTS DECIDED ON

The California Refineries Company, Inc., will use Santa Fe Springs crude, while the Santa Fe Carbon plant will work on wet gas. The gas will be handled by an absorption plant located alongside the California Refineries. The two enterprises call for three installations, ranged alongside one another—a crude oil refinery, a gas absorption plant and a carbon plant. The companies have abundant land upon which to expand their activities.

Cotton Growing Among Plans of Well Drillers

WASCO, Dec. 6.—The Main Oil Company, drilling a test well southwest of here in a rich agricultural district, will combine its drilling efforts with the growing of cotton, according to R. T. Leonards, of Los Angeles, who is attending to the financing of the oil enterprise.

The Main well is located five and one-half miles southwest of here. The hole is down 2200 feet with 8 1-4-inch casing being used. The company will drill to at least 4000 feet, if necessary, it is said.

In addition to the oil well, the company is prepared to carry on cotton culture because of excellent irrigation facilities. There are three fine water wells on the property and these will take care of at least 160 acres of cotton, it is expected.

Fur of the true seal is stiff and lacks the wooly underfur of the fur seals.

City Wealthy but Rents Its Steam Shovel

The city government of Los Angeles owns thousands of hand-shovels, picks, wheelbarrows, hundreds of automobiles, scores of fire engines and in all millions of dollars' worth of equipment—but it has no steam shovel.

With the beginning of work on the construction of the Mulholland scenic highway from Calabasas to Cahuenga Pass, over the crest of the Santa Monica Mountains, the Council has found it necessary to rent a steam shovel at $75 a day. But the finance committee at its meeting this afternoon is scheduled to take steps to secure prices at which a steam shovel can be purchased.

TORRANCE OIL FLOW SOARS

Eleven Wells With Flush Production Completed in Field by Operators During Week

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

TORRANCE, Dec. 16.—Eleven wells, with a total flush production of approximately 13,000 barrels, were completed in this field during the past week. Counting this flush production, the output of the field yesterday was estimated at 40,000 barrels, although pipe-line runs showed 34,000 barrels.

There are now seventy-five producing wells here, thirty of which are pumpers. Most of the pumpers are on the far west side of the field. Three of the flowing wells are temporarily off production, because of sand trouble. Six new producers are expected in during the present week. It begins to appear now as though the prediction of 50,000 barrels a day production by January 1 may be realized.

Two recent developments in the Torrance field are causing operators considerable worry. Two more wells have been added to the "damp" list, bringing the total number that have drilled into water up to eight.

Several wells in the closely-drilled territory, during the past two weeks, have shown a big decline in production and in some cases 1000 and 1500-barrel wells of sixty days ago were yesterday reported to be doing only half and in some instances only one-third that amount.

Declining production seems to be causing the most concern, particularly in that section between Redondo-Long Beach Boulevard on the north, Elgin street on the south, Narbonne avenue on the east and the Pan-American and Standard holdings on the west.

In that area there are now close to 200 rigs with at least fifty more locations called for. The majority of the wells are on leases held by small operators. The leases will average about one acre in size.

The biggest lease in the territory is held by the Universal Consolidated, which has approximately twenty acres in the heart of the drilling, but because of the offset wells the Universal will be compelled to drill approximately fifteen wells on the lease.

PRODUCTION OVERRATED

Two things caused the rush of operators to that section. The production of the Midway Northern No. 1, on Redondo Boulevard, the first well in that district to be brought in, and the completion of the Fortuna No. 1, six blocks to the south. The production of both wells was considerably overrated. The biggest well in the field, up to the time the Midway Northern well was brought in, was the Chanslor-Canfield Midway's Torrance No. 4, three-quarters of a mile to the north and west, on Carson street. It made during the first month around 1000 barrels a day.

The Midway Northern well blew in before it was completed, and when it was brought in its production was estimated by those on the sidelines at from 2500 to 4000 barrels. Immediately there was a rush to get leases in the neighborhood of the well and two or three blocks to the south. About the time the excitement over the Midway Northern died down R. W. Edens, drilling a well in record time, brought in the Fortune No. 1. It gushed over the crownblock and was first reported as a 4000-barrel well. As a matter of fact, neither the Midway Northern nor the Fortuna, during the first day or two, put much more than 2000 barrels in the tanks and within four or five days each was hovering around 1500 barrels.

The fact that the proven area of the field to the north and west had shown a low gas pressure did not alarm the operators who went into the southeast section. They seemed to believe that the long-looked-for big production was at last being tapped. Recent developments have shown that the gas pressure does not hold up under close drilling. In the Midway Northern section, where sixteen wells have been put on production in a radius of two blocks, the biggest decline is apparent.

LARGEST WELL

Midway Northern No. 1 is now flowing between 500 and 600 barrels. The Chansior-Canfield Midway's Torrance No. 8, the first offset to be brought in, with an initial production of 1500 barrels, is down to approximately 600 barrels. Other wells brought in four and five weeks ago are down to about the same production. Wells which were brought in during the past week in that area started off at less than 1000 barrels.

There are three theories regarding the water trouble in the field, namely, that it is caused by edge-water, intermediate water or bottom water. The fact that water has been picked up in what appears to be the heart of the field would discount to a large extent the edge-water argument. Selby-Root, with a 2250-barrel well on Redondo Boulevard just west of Arlington street, which developed water trouble, plugged back 100 feet and still has a 1000-barrel well and clean oil. The well was originally drilled to 3340 feet.

The Superior, with a well along side the Selby-Root producer, also has water in its hole which was drilled to 3841 feet and is plugging back. The result of the Superior's job is not yet known. So far as the Selby-Root well is concerned it would look like bottom or intermediate water, as two or three new producers have been finished in the same locality at around 3800 feet and are free from water.

Regarding the wells north of Carson street, and the Chanslor-Canfield Midway's Torrance No. 20 and the North American Consolidated's Torrance No. 1, at the corner of Arlington and Plaza Del Amo, there is still room for argument on all three theories. The C.C.M.O. well and North American well are about 1500 feet north of the Selby-Root well, but a considerable distance south of the wells on Carson street. Both are being plugged back about fifty feet.

WATER PUZZLES

The Chanslor-Canfield Midway's Torrance No. 10, at Carson and Cedar, plugged back and put on production three weeks ago, is making some water and until it sanded up was making about 250 barrels of oil. It is not yet known whether the water is coming out of the well or out of the Superior's well across the street, which has been standing with water in it for sixty days. The Superior's Torrance No. 1, and two other Superior water wells farther to the north are being plugged back and tested for production.

California's Daily Oil Production

DISTRICT	Week ending Dec. 8 (Barrels)	No. of Wells	Week ending Dec. 15 (Barrels)	No. of Wells
Long Beach	232,000	271	230,000	284
Santa Fe Springs	205,000	260	190,000	277
Huntington Beach	70,000	216	65,000	223
Torrance	36,000	65	34,000	67
Compton	1,350	1	1,350	1
Balance of State	195,000	7859	194,000	7750
Total for State	739,350	8681	714,350	8602

VERDE MINE FINDS GOOD ORE BODIES

Thirty-Inch Vein Said to Sample $50 in Gold and Silver

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

JEROME (Ariz.), Dec. 16.—In the property of the Verde Mines and Development Company, on the eastern side of the Black Hills, the main vein has been cut, sixteen feet from the shaft. It has thirty inches of ore that is said to sample about $50 in gold and silver. A three-compartment shaft had been sunk to 150 feet depth, but it was found that the vein has straightened downward and was not encountered in the sinking, as had been expected. W. F. Burns is in charge of the work.

Jerome Superior officers will hold over, as a quorum failed to appear at the annual meeting. T. R. Owen, president and manager, states that resumption of operations on the company's property may be expected soon. The mine will need much rehabilitation work, though it is dry down to the 500-foot level, on which stringers of gold ore have been cut.

Manager George Kingdon of the United Verde Extension states that ore in sight in the property assures at least seven years of continuous operation at the present output rate of 40,000,000 pounds per annum, while new ground now being opened up looks very promising. Only a fraction of the Extension's acreage has been developed. The company is far from working at capacity, yet has a pay roll of about 1200 men.

RAIL MOTOR IN VIEW

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

DENVER, Dec. 16.—In order to more effectively compete with automobile transportation lines now operating over the western slope officials of the D. and R. G. W. are considering the use of motor cars between Grand Junction and Montrose, possibly extending this service to Paonia on the north fork branch.

What Do You Do With Oily Rags?

Spontaneous combustion stands fifth on the list of fire hazards which consume property in this country at the rate of more than $1,000,000 daily. Put all rubbish, waste paper and cleaning rags in metal containers.

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THE WEATHER
[Official Report]

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(Official Report)

LOCAL OFFICE, U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Dec. 16.—(Reported by H. B. Hersey, meteorologist.) At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.23; at 5 p.m., 30.15. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 54 degrees and 72 degrees. Relative humidity: 5 a.m., 48 per cent; 5 p.m., 27 per cent. Wind: 5 a.m., northeast, velocity 8 miles; 5 p.m., northwest, velocity 2 miles. Temperatures, highest, 80 degrees; lowest, 53 degrees. Rainfall for season, 6.3 inches; last season to date, 4.77 inches. Barometer reduced to sea level.

LOCAL FORECAST

For Los Angeles and vicinity: Fair, with gentle winds, mostly northerly.

STATE FORECAST

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 16.—Weather forecast: San Francisco Bay region: Increasing cloudiness Monday, probably followed by rain; moderate southerly winds.

Northern California: Fair south, increasing cloudiness, probably followed by rain north portion Monday; moderate southerly winds.

Sacramento and Santa Clara valleys: Increasing cloudiness Monday, probably followed by rain; moderate southerly winds.

San Joaquin Valley: Fair Monday; gentle, variable winds.

Southern California: Fair Monday, gentle winds, mostly northerly.

ARIZONA FORECAST

PHOENIX (Ariz.) Dec. 16.—Forecast for Arizona: Fair Monday and Tuesday; not much change in temperature.

TEMPERATURES

	Max.	Min.		Max.	Min.
Abilene	62		Oklahoma	68	42
Bisbee	66	38	Phoenix	80	42
Boston	44		Pittsburg	46	
Buffalo	42		Portland, Or.	46	38
Chicago	50		Rapid City	44	
Denver	54		Red Bluff	64	34
Des Moines	54		Roseburg	58	34
Dodge City	56		Roswell	56	
Eureka	56	42	St. Louis	54	
Flagstaff	52	26	Minneapolis		
Fresno	50	42	St. Paul	46	
Galveston	52		Sacramento	56	44
Havre	38	22	Salt Lake City	52	38
Helena	42		San Diego	74	52
Huron	50		San Francisco	52	46
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WHAT'S DOING TODAY

Christian Science Lecture, Third Church, 734 South Hope, Frank Bell, C.S.B., of Philadelphia, speaker, 8 p.m.

Children's Story Hour, 7th floor of Public Library, morning.

Los Angeles City Teachers' Institute meeting, Philharmonic and Trinity Auditoriums, all day.

City Club Open Forum meeting, C. C. Chapman Building, Dr. F. W. Roman, speaker, evening.

Yale Club meeting and luncheon, City Club, C. C. Chapman Building, 12:30 p.m.

Friendship Club dance, Music Art Hall, 233 South Broadway, evening.

Electric Club luncheon, Biltmore, noon.

Address on "Dorothy Vernon of Haddon Hall," Ebell Club, Dr. Eugene Francis Burke, speaker, 2:30 p.m.

Lecture on "How Shall the Dead Be Raised," Symphony Hall, Mrs. Phoebe Holmes, speaker, evening.

Annual meeting and dinner of the Golden West Commandery, No. 43, of the Knights Templar, 6 p.m.

Annual exhibition of Sculptors' Guild of Southern California, Southwest Museum, afternoon.

First permanent California exhibit, scenic motion pictures, State Exposition Building, Exposition Park, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Southwest Museum exhibit, Southwest Museum, afternoon.

Los Angeles Museum exhibit, Exposition Park, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Concert, Westlake Park, evening.

Chess and Checkers, room 820, Union League Building, 2nd and Hill, 7 a.m. to 5 p.m.

MOTION PICTURES:

Alhambra, Hill, between Seventh and Eighth, "The Unknown Purple."

California, Eighth and Main, Helene Chadwick in "Reno."

Criterion, Grand at Seventh, Lon Chaney in "The Hunchback of Notre Dame."

Clune's Broadway, Broadway, between Fifth and Sixth, Robert Mills in "The Mark of the Beast."

Grauman's Hollywood, McCadden Place and Hollywood Boulevard, "The Ten Commandments."

Grauman's Metropolitan, Sixth and Hill, Glenn Hunter in "West of the Water Tower."

Grauman's Million Dollar, Third and Broadway, Mary Pickford in "Rosita."

Grauman's Rialto, Sixth and Broadway, Harold Lloyd in "Why Worry."

Loew's State, Seventh and Broadway, "The Man Life Passed By."

Miller's, Main and Ninth, "In the Palace of the King."

Mission, Ninth and Broadway, "The Virginian."

Philharmonic Auditorium, Fifth and Olive, "The Fifth Year."

Tally's Broadway, Broadway and Eighth, "St. Elmo."

STAGE:

Mason Opera house, 127 South Broadway—"Zander."

Morosco Theater, 744 South Broadway—"The Lady Killer."

Majestic, Ninth and Broadway—"Topsy and Eva."

Fine Arts Theater, 730 South Grand—"R.U.R."

VARIETIES:

Orpheum, 633 South Broadway, "De Lyle Alda & Co."

Hillstreet, Eighth and Hill, William Seabury & Co., in "Trivia."

Pantages, Seventh and Hill, Eddie Berdon in "Moments Humorous."

Burbank, Sixth and Main, "Burbank Baby Dolls."

Hippodrome, Fourth and Main, "Stormswept."

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perform in the quarter mile. Van Judah, Storie and Mixon have all made the single lap in 50 seconds.

Richardson and Al Smith lead the half milers, and with Boyden of California in the competition this event in the "Big Meet" will undoubtedly be the greatest in many years. Boyden and Richardson as freshmen last season were considered the best half-milers of the West. Boyden won the freshman race, by one or two inches, in 57 3-5 seconds. Two years ago Smith was regarded as the best Stanford distance man since "Skin" Wilson, and as he is by nature one of the hardest fighters on the track, this event in the California-Stanford meet will be worth going miles to see. Then there are several average half-milers, who have actually placed in big meets, as Swayne, Daly, Dole and MacIntosh of Stanford.

Smith, Bill, Kerr, the freshmen star, Cypher and Elliott should run the mile. At present there are no Coast milers who look able to beat any of them.

Hayes, Charles, Clifford, and any of the milers might run the two-mile. Charles won the cross-country race a week ago. Incidentally, this competition, in which Stanford runners took the first five places, the seventh and the ninth, out of ten, from California, shows something of the probable strength of the Cardinal distance men.

Stanford's field strength iwll not be so great, but will nevertheless be better than average, with the former inter-collegiate champion, Hartranft, leading the outfit in shot and discus. Hartranft's poorest put in 1922 was 47¼ feet, which will win most any collegiate shot event, while if pressed, as he never has been, he might go in for a world's record. His best mark, 50 feet 2 inches, is fairly respectable as it is. Jim Arthur, whose work in the discus was remarkable at the end of last season, should return for this event. He can throw a consistent 135 feet and should do better with a few months of real training this spring. In the shot he came up from 40 to 44 feet late last season, and he might improve this also.

Scofield and Dennis, each having done 12 feet, will represent the Cards in the pole vault. Anderson and Kemnitzer, good for six feet or perhaps a bit more, are the high jump candidates. Harlow and Farrish will throw the javelin. Harlow made 185 feet in competition before he was disqualified last season. Bragg, McRea and Wright are the present broad jump candidates, though none of them has done more than 21 feet to date.

BABBITT
BY
SINCLAIR LEWIS

...nen Ted had returned to Zenith, Babbitt was lonely. As he was trying to make alliance between Offutt and certain Milwaukee interests which wanted the race-track plot, most of his time was taken up in waiting for telephone calls. . . . Sitting on the edge of his bed, holding the portable telephone, asking wearily, "Mr. Sagen not in yet? Didn't he leave any message for me? All right, I'll hold the wire." Staring at a stain on the wall, reflecting that it resembled a shoe, and being bored by this twentieth discovery that it resembled a shoe. Lighting a cigarette; then, bound to the telephone with no ashtray in reach, wondering what to do with this burning menace and anxiously trying to toss it into the tiled bathroom. At last, on the telephone. "No message, eh? All right, I'll call up again."

One afternoon he wandered through snow-rutted streets of which he had never heard, streets of small tenements and two-family houses and marooned cottages. It came to him that he had nothing to do, that there was nothing he wanted to do. He was bleakly lonely in the evening, when he dined by himself at the Regency Hotel. He sat in the lobby afterward, in a plush chair bedecked with the Saxe-Coburg arms, lighting a cigar and looking for some one who would come and play with him and save him from thinking. In the chair next to him (showing the arms of Lithuania) was a half-familiar man, a large red-faced man with eyes and a deficient yellow mustache. He seemed kind and insignificant, and as lonely as Babbitt himself. He wore a tweed suit and a reluctant orange tie.

It came to Babbitt with a pyrotechnic crash. The melancholy stranger was Sir Gerald Doak.

Instinctively Babbitt rose, bumbling, "How 're you, Sir Gerald? 'Member we met in Zenith at Charley McKelvey's? Babbitt's my name—real estate."

"Oh! How d' you do." Sir Gerald shook hands flabbily.

Embarrassed, standing, wondering how he could retreat, Babbitt maundered, "Well, I suppose you been having a great trip since we saw you in Zenith."

"Quite. British Columbia and California and all over the place," he said doubtfully, looking at Babbitt lifelessly.

"How did you find business conditions in British Columbia? Or I suppose maybe you didn't look into 'em. Scenery and sport and so on?"

"Scenery? Oh, capital. But business conditions— You know, Mr. Babbitt, they're having almost as much unemployment as we are." Sir Gerald was speaking warmly now.

"So? Business conditions not so doggone good, eh?"

"No, business conditions weren't at all what I'd hoped to find them."

"Not good, eh?"

"No, not—not really good."

"That's a darn shame. Well—I suppose you're waiting for somebody to take you out to some big shindig, Sir Gerald."

"Shindig? Oh. Shindig. No, to tell you the truth, I was wondering what the deuce I could do this evening. Don't know a soul in Tchicahgo. I wonder if you happen to know whether there's a good theater in this city?"

"Good? Why say, they're running grand opera right now! I guess maybe you'd like that."

"Eh? Eh? Went to the opera once in London. Covent Garden sort of thing. Shocking! No, I was wondering if there was a good cinema—movie."

Babbitt was sitting down, hitching his chair over, shouting, "Movie? Why, Sir Gerald, I supposed of course you had a raft of dames waiting to lead you out to some soree—"

"God forbid!"

"—but if you haven't, what do you say you and me go to a movie? There's a peach of a film at the Grantham: Bill Hart in a bandit picture."

"Right-o! Just a moment while I get my coat."

Swollen with greatness, slightly afraid lest the noble blood of Nottingham change its mind and leave him at any street corner, Babbitt paraded with Sir Gerald Doak to the movie palace and in silent bliss sat beside him, trying not to be too enthusiastic, lest the knight despise his adoration of six-shooters and broncos. At the end Sir Gerald murmured, "Jolly good picture, this. So awfully decent of you to take me. Haven't enjoyed myself so much, for weeks. All these hostesses, they never let you go to the cinema!"

"The devil you say!" Babbitt's speech had lost the delicate refinement and all the broad A's with which he had adorned it, and become hearty and natural. "Well, I'm tickled to death you liked it, Sir Gerald."

They crawled past the knees of fat womern into the aisle; they stood in the lobby waving their arms in the rite of putting on overcoats. Babbitt hinted, "Say, how about a little something to eat? I know a place where we could get a swell rarebit, and we might dig up a little drink—that is, if you ever touch the stuff."

"Rather! But why don't you come to my room? I've some Scotch—not half bad."

"Oh, I don't want to use up all your hootch. It's darn nice of you, but— You probably want to hit the hay."

Sir Gerald was transformed. He was beefily yearning. "Oh really, now; I haven't had a decent evening for so long! Having to go to all of these dances. No chance to discuss business and that sort of thing. Do be a good chap and come along. Won't you?"

"Will I? You bet! I just thought maybe— Say, by golly, it does do a fellow good, don't it, to sit and visit about business conditions, after he's been to these balls and masquerades and banquets and all that society stuff. I often feel that way in Zenith. Sure, you bet I'll come."

"That's awfully nice of you." They beamed along the street. "Look here, old chap, can you tell me, do American cities always keep up this dreadful social pace? All these magnificent parties?"

"Go on now, quit your kidding? Gosh, you with court balls and functions and everything—"

"No, really, old chap! Mother and I—Lady Doak, I should say, we usually play a hand of bezique and go to bed at ten. Bless my soul, I couldn't keep up your beastly pace! And talking! All your American women, they know so much—culture and that sort of thing. This Mrs. McKelvey—your friend—"

"Yuh, old Lucile. Good kid."

"She asked me which of the galleries I liked best in Florence. Or was it in Firenze? Never been in Italy in my life! And primitives. Did I like primitives. Do you know what the deuce a primitive is?"

"Me? I should say not! But I know what a discount for cash is."

"Rather! So do I, by George! But primitives!"

"Yuh! Primitives!"

They laughed with the sound of a Boosters' luncheon.

Sir Gerald's room was, except for his ponderous and durable English bags, very much like the room of George F. Babbitt; and quite in the manner of Babbitt he disclosed a huge whisky flask, looked proud and hospitable, and chuckled, "Say, when, old chap."

It was after the third drink that Sir Gerald proclaimed, "How do you Yankees get the notion that writing chaps like Bertrand Shaw and this Wells represent us? The real business England, we think those chaps are traitors. Both our countries have their comic Old Aristocracy—you know, old county families, hunting people and all that sort of thing—and we both have our wretched labor leaders, but we both have a backbone of sound business men who run the whole show."

"You bet. Here's to the real guys!"

"I'm with you! Here's to ourselves!"

It was after the fourth drink that Sir Gerald asked humbly, "What do you think of North Dakota mortgages?" but it was not till after the fifth that Babbitt began to call him "Jerry," and Sir Gerald confided, "I say, do you mind if I pull off my boots?" and ecstatically stretched his knightly feet, his poor, tired, hot swollen feet out on the bed.

After the fifth, Babbitt irregularly arose. "Well, I better be hiking along, Jerry, you're a regular human being! I wish to thunder we'd been better acquainted in Zenith. Lookit. Can't you come back and stay with me a while?"

"So sorry—must go to New York tomorrow. Most awfully sorry, old boy. I haven't enjoyed an evening so much since I've been in the States. Real talk. Not all this social rot. I'd never have let them give me the beastly title—and I didn't get it for nothing, eh?—if I'd thought I'd have to talk to women about primitives and polo! Goodish things to have in Nottingham, though; annoyed the mayor most frightfully when I got it; and of course the missus likes it. But nobody calls me 'Jerry' now—" He was almost weeping. "—and nobody in the States has treated me like a friend till tonight! Good-by, old chap, good-by! Thanks awfully!"

"Don't mention it, Jerry. And remember whenever you get to Zenith, the latch-string is always out."

"And don't forget, old boy, if you come to Nottingham, Mother and I will be frightfully glad to see you. I shall tell the fellows in Nottingham your ideas about Visions and Real Guys—at our next Rotary Club luncheon."

IV

Babbitt lay abed at his hotel, imagining the Zenith Athletic Club asking him, "What kind of a time d'you have in Chicago?" and his answering, "Oh, fair; ran around with Sir Gerald Doak a lot;" picturing himself meeting Lucile McKelvey and admonishing her, "You're all right, Mrs. Mac, when you aren't trying to pull this highbrow pose. It's just as Gerald Doak says to me in Chicago—oh, yes, Jerry's an old friend of mine—the wife and I are thinking of running over to England to stay with Jerry in his castle, next year—and he said to me, 'George, old bean, I like Lucile first-rate, but you and the, Georges, we got to make her get over this highty-tighty hoopteddiddle way she's got.'"

But that evening a thing happened which wrecked his pride.

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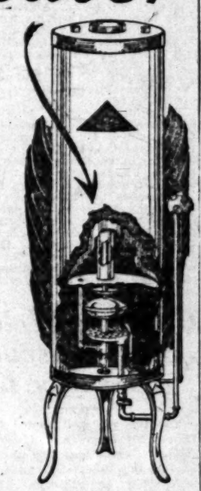

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VITAL RECORD

DEATHS

With Funeral Announcements.

ALLYN. At 2683 Moss avenue, Mrs. Bina L. Allyn, aged 79 years, beloved wife of Calvin S. Allyn, and mother of Mrs. Gertrude Long of Los Angeles and Mrs. C. F. Dunnell of Santa Monica, Cal.

Funeral services Wednesday, December 19, at 10 a.m., from the funeral parlors of W. A. Brown, 1335 South Flower street.

AMBURG. December 16, M. Amburg.

Remains at the parlors of W. A. Brown.

AVERILL. In this city, December 14, 1923, John R. Averill, aged 46 years.

Remains at the Robinson & Adair mortuary (formerly Booth & Boylson Co.,) 1147 South Flower street.

BAKER. At her home in Los Angeles, December 13, 1923, Mrs. Harriet L. Baker, aged 67 years, mother of Fred L. Baker, Milo A. Baker and Berte L. Baker, and sister of Miss Isabelle Lawrence of Los Angeles and Cecil Lawrence of Yonkers, N. Y.

Funeral today (Monday,) December 17. Private and no flowers. Pierce Brothers, directors.

BLISS. At 535½ Seventh avenue, December 14, Emma R. Bliss, mother of G. W., J. C., Dr. A. P. and R. B. Bliss, Dr. Anne Wright, Mrs. W. L. Newton and Mrs. R. H. Parsons.

Entirely private services at the residence, Monday at 10:30 a.m. Breese Brothers, directors.

BROWN. Services for Charles H. Brown, late of 1028 East Twenty-eighth street, will be held today at 11 a.m. from the Ruppe Mortuary, 843 South Figueroa street. Interment, Rosedale Cemetery.

BUCKLEY. December 15, at Terminal Island, Cal., Cornelius F. Buckley, beloved husband of Mary A. Buckley, loving father of Arthur D., Robert C., Hazel C. Buckley, a native of County Kerry, Ireland, aged 73 years.

Funeral Tuesday, December 18, at 8:30 a.m. from the chapel of Cunningham & O'Connor, 1031 South Grand avenue. Requiem mass at St. Vincent's Church at 9 a.m. Interment, Calvary Cemetery.

GLAVIN. Strictly private services for Bernard L. Glavin, Jr., beloved son of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard L. Glavin, will be held today at 1 p.m. from the Ruppe Mortuary, 843 South Figueroa street.

HAIN. December 16, at 1429 McCadden Place, Jacob Hain, aged 72 years, loving father of Eleanor Hain and G. E. Hain.

Funeral services will be held Tuesday, December 18, at 2 p.m. from the chapel of Gates, Crane & Earl, 1724 Highland avenue, Hollywood. Interment, Hollywood Cemetery.

HATDEL. In Montecito, Cal., December 13, Sophie Papin Hardel, formerly of St. Louis, beloved mother of Mrs. Gordon Tevis and Miss Dorothy Hardel.

Notice of funeral later.

HEATH. December 14, at 1 a.m., Lillie Heath, beloved wife of H. A. Heath.

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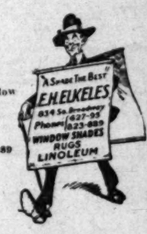

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HINDS. December 15, Julia Shirley Hinds, at 47 Thomas P., Frank C. and Mrs. Ethel Hinds.

Funeral Tuesday, December 18, at 10 a.m. at chapel of Conger, Meyer, Neal Co., 1240 South Grand avenue. Interment, 4 o'clock p.m., St. Paul's Church at 9 a.m. Interment private.

HOLABIRD. At Santa Monica, December 15, Phebe D., widow of the late Col. William S. Holabird and mother of Samuel D. and G. Holabird and Mrs. Edward Jones.

Funeral services at the residence, 1260 Adams street, Santa Monica, Monday, 2:30 p.m.

LORDELL. At his home, 1974 Lucile avenue, December 13, 1923, Rowe Lordell, aged 71 years, husband of Mary Lordell, and loving father of J. Earl Lordell.

Funeral services will be held at the residence of J. D. Fredericks, 1974 Lucile avenue, Monday, December 17, at 2 p.m. Interment private.

McCANENY. December 15, suddenly, at his home, 1211 Kenwood street, beloved husband of Grace McCaneny and father of Thomas Gilbert McCaneny, aged 41 years.

Funeral services will be held from the chapel of Pierce Brothers, Wednesday, December 19, at 2 p.m. Interment Pierce Brothers' Valley Oak Cemetery.

MILLER. December 15, 1923, Olive C. Miller, beloved wife of Frank Miller, and mother of Mrs. Ethel Hayes.

Remains at chapel of Pierce Brothers, directors.

NOYES. In this city, December 15, Mrs. Ida Hayes, aged 67 years.

Services today, 10 a.m. at the residence, 825 Figueroa, Monday at 9:30 a.m.

PAUL. December 15, at 1202 West Fourth street, Isabelle Grace Paul, beloved wife of H. E. Paul, mother of Mrs. Edward Lee Cornell and Mrs. Alfred Bruce, and sister of Mrs. R. Paul N. Grimes of Los Angeles and Mrs. L. B. Grimes of Fort Worth, Texas.

Funeral services Tuesday, December 18, at 2:30 p.m. from the residence, 1202 West Fourth street. Please omit flowers. Interment private.

WEBB. At 2125 West Adams street, Alfred Paul Webb, father of Mrs. Ethel Barnes and Mrs. J. E. Smith, aged 70 years.

Remains at Home of Peace Mortuary. Interment in Sycamore, Ill.

YOUNG. At Medford, Or., December 14, Hattie W. Young, aged 71 years, beloved wife of Estelle A. Young, father of Mrs. Young and brother of John S. Young of North Dixie avenue, Cocoa, Fla.

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DEATHS

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ROEDER. At Altadena, December 15, Ottilia K. Roeder, aged 73 years, beloved wife of Frank Roeder, mother of Turner, Stevens & Turner, and sister of Mrs. Bernard, Mrs. Brady, O.

STAGG. December 15, Linda L. Stagg, of 1008 North Avenue 56, aged 68 years, beloved wife of Henry Stagg, and mother of Mrs. Nora Smith, beloved wife of Everett Smith.

Funeral services will be held at the residence 17 at 2 p.m. Interment at Forest Lawn Cemetery. L. G. Somers Co., funeral directors.

THROOP. Remains of Rebecca D. Throop, wife of 721 South Westlake, will be sent today by the Ruppe Mortuary, 843 South Figueroa street, to Mt. Kisco, N. Y., for interment.

TUCKER. At Stony Slope, Wis., December 14, father of R. E. Tucker, Mrs. Ed Barnes and Mrs. J. E. Smith.

Services at Gutsh & Sons undertaking parlors, 1127 South Flower street, today at 1 p.m.

VALENTINE. December 15, at 1202 West Fourth street, Isabelle Grace Paul, beloved wife of H. E. Paul, mother of Mrs. Edward Lee Cornell and Mrs. Alfred Bruce, and sister of Mrs. R. Paul N. Grimes of Los Angeles and Mrs. L. B. Grimes of Fort Worth, Texas.

Funeral services Tuesday, December 18, at 2:30 p.m. from the residence, 1202 West Fourth street. Please omit flowers. Interment private.

WEBB. At 2125 West Adams street, Alfred Paul Webb, father of Mrs. Ethel Barnes and Mrs. J. E. Smith, aged 70 years.

Remains at Home of Peace Mortuary. Interment in Sycamore, Ill.

YOUNG. At Medford, Or., December 14, Hattie W. Young, aged 71 years, beloved wife of Estelle A. Young, father of Mrs. Young and brother of John S. Young of North Dixie avenue, Cocoa, Fla.

Funeral services today (Monday) at 2 p.m. from the chapel of Conger, Meyer, Neal Co., 1240 South Grand avenue. Interment, Rosedale Cemetery.

WARNING TO CROOKS

The vice squad, led by Acting Captain Guy Plummer, booked one for Wright Act violation, two for conducting disorderly house and thirty-seven for gambling. The raids were in various parts of the city. Included among those arrested on liquor charges was Ben Marble, 243 South Hope street, said to be known as the "business men's bootlegger." Detectives Bernsweig and Shubert, who made the arrest, say that Marble has been sought for weeks on illicit liquor peddling in downtown office buildings. He was booked on a charge of possession of a pint of liquor and a five-gallon can of whisky was confiscated. "Los Angeles is keeping the worst element on the run," said Captain Toomey, commander of the Crime Crushers. "We are finding that Los Angeles is not a safe place to come to and will keep away from here the news of the method in which they are being received

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RECORD MADE I... POLICE CLEAN-U...

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CRUSHERS ACTIVE

Raids on rooming-houses and... pool halls resulted in the arrest... of nearly 100 men, among whom... were several well-known police... characters, who were booked for... vagrancy and idleness.

Members of the crime crush... ers, working in plain clothes and... starting with the late night... raids, were responsible for the... largest number of arrests. Sev... eral were arrested and booked for... investigation when they were... found carrying concealed weapons. Some were arrested on suspicion of... burglary. Among the names Tom... Johnson, Luther Kennedy, S. J.... Kelly, Ed Walker, Lawrence... Cook, Fred McBird, Jose Aguirre,... Leo Aponiolo and R. M. Blevino... were on the suspicion of burglary... while William Smith, George Tom... linson, Bert Aranda, M. Valequela,... G. Baca and Ray Valenzia.

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With Funeral Announcements.

HINDS. December 15, Julia Hinds, beloved mother of Thomas F., Frank C. and Ethel Mae Hinds. Funeral Tuesday, December 18, at 1:30 p.m. at chapel of Cunningham & O'Connor, 1240 South Grand avenue. Services mass at St. Paul's Church at 9 a.m. Interment, Calvary Cemetery.

HOLABIRD. At Sierra Madre, December 15, Phebe D., widow of the late Col. Wilfred H. Holabird and mother of Russell D. and Lieut. G. Holabird and Mrs. Thomas J. Smith. Funeral services at the late residence, Sierra Madre, Monday, 1:30 p.m.

LOSDELL. At his home, 1976 Angus street, December 15, 1923, Byron J. Losdell, beloved husband of Mary Greene Losdell and loving father of J. Karl Losdell. Funeral services will be held at chapel of J. D. Fyfe & Co., corner Main and Fifth streets, Tuesday, December 18, at 1:30 p.m.

McCANVENT. December 15, Andrew Lee McCanvent, beloved husband of Cora McCanvent, father of Thomas Gilbert McCanvent, brother of J. C. McCanvent of San Francisco. Funeral services will be held from Mountain View Chapel, Monday, 2:30 p.m. Masonic services by F. & A. M. Lodge of Whittier. Interment, Live Oak Cemetery. S. B. Reynolds, directing.

MILLER. December 14, 1923, Ellen C. Miller. Remains at chapel of Geo. J. Fish & Son. Time of funeral later.

NOYES. In this city, December 13, Mrs. Sarah Noyes, aged 81 years. Funeral services at Brown Brothers' chapel, 855 Figueroa, Monday at 10:30 a.m.

PAUL. December 15, at 1322 West Fortieth Place, Isabelle Grime Paul, aged 33 years, beloved wife of H. H. Paul, loving daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Grime, sister of E. F., H., Paul N. Grime of Los Angeles, and Gilbert S. Grime of Fort Wayne, Ind. Funeral from the residence, Tuesday, at 6:30 a.m. Requiem mass at St. Vincent's Church at 9 o'clock. The White Company, directors.

PETTINGILL. At 941 West One Hundred and Eleventh street, Mrs. Rebecca Pettingill, aged 83 years. Services today, 10 a.m., at E. S. Holcomb's funeral chapel, 4760 Central avenue.

POOLE. At 561 Bellevue avenue, Angelo Poole, aged 69 years, beloved wife of David B. Poole, loving mother of Mabel and Willian J. Poole. Funeral today at 10:30 a.m. from chapel of E. E. Overholtzer-Sons Co., 1220 South Grand avenue.

PORTEOUS. December 15, at 940 South Burlington avenue, Thomas Porteous. Remains will be shipped to Stanley, Ontario, for interment by Pierce Bros. & Co.

QUINN. December 14, at 1306 South Main avenue, Frank Joseph Quinn. Remains will be shipped to Salt Lake City for interment by Pierce Bros. & Co.

REDWINE. December 14, in this city, Mrs. Erminie Redwine. Funeral services will be held this afternoon at 2:30 from chapel of Edwards Brothers, 930 West Sixteenth street. Interment, Rose Hills Memorial Park.

RHONE. At Alhambra, December 15, 1923, Charles E. Rhone, aged 56 years, native of Pennsylvania, beloved father of Curtis, Edward and Leonard Rhone of Alhambra. Funeral Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock from parlors of Turner, Stevens & Turner, Alhambra. Interment, Rosedale Cemetery.

ROGERS. At 2288 West Twenty-third street, December 15, 1923, Mrs. Everabelle E. Rogers, aged 32 years, beloved wife of Blanche Eckford of this city. Funeral services Monday, December 17, at 2 p.m. from the funeral parlors of F. C. Brown, 1325 South Flower street, Los Angeles. Interment, Pomona, Cal.

BERGER. At Alhambra, December 16, 1923, Ottilia K. Seeger, aged 72 years. Funeral this morning at 9:30 from parlors of Turner, Stevens & Turner, Alhambra. Interment, Texas, O.

STAGG. December 15, Louise L. Stagg of 1000 North Avenue 56, aged 65 years, native of Nova Scotia, beloved wife of Edward H. Stagg. Funeral services from her late residence, 1000 North Avenue 56, Tuesday, December 18, at 2 p.m. Interment, Forest Lawn Cemetery. G. Q. Seavey Co., directors.

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TUCKER. At Sierra Madre, Wm. B. Tucker, father of B. H. Tucker of this city. Services at Gulick & Moses mortuary, South Flower street, today at 1 o'clock.

VALENTINE. December 15, at her home, 3 South Gramercy Place, Addie L. Valentine, beloved wife of Richard Valentine, loving friend of this city and Santa Monica, and daughter of Mrs. Huntley of Hollister, Cal. Funeral services at Brown Brothers' chapel, 855 Figueroa, Monday at 10:30 a.m. Interment, Inglewood Park Cemetery.

WEBB. At 3122 Hayes street, Dorothy Alfreda Pratt Webb, father of Mrs. Harry Barnes and Mrs. J. H. Morrison. Remains at Brown Brothers' chapel, 855 Figueroa, Monday at 10:30 a.m. Interment in Nogales, Mich.

YOUNG. At Medford, Or., December 13, William W. Young, aged 67 years, father of Mrs. Ireland of Los Angeles, Mrs. Young of Medford and Estelle A. Young, father of Dr. Donald B. Young and brother of John B. Young of North Union avenue, this city. Funeral services today (Monday) December 17, at 1 p.m. from the chapel of Pierce Bros., 720 West Washington street. Interment, Rosedale Cemetery.

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YEGGMEN TAKE SAFE AND OWNER

Saticoy Bandits Leave Victim Bound in Shack; Refused Combination

J. J. Griggs, proprietor of a pool hall at Saticoy, was kidnaped and his 400-pound safe, containing a small amount of cash, was stolen by five bandits early yesterday morning. Griggs was bound and gagged and left in an abandoned real estate office near Ventura and Reseda Boulevards. After struggling for several hours he obtained his freedom, hailed a passing automobile and reported the robbery to the Hollywood Police Station.

Griggs said he was alone in the pool hall when the bandits entered, covered him and made him get into the car. Three of the highwaymen then lifted the safe into the automobile and drove toward Los Angeles. Saticoy, where the pool hall is located, is on the coast highway a few miles south of Santa Barbara.

"They tried to get me to tell them the combination," Griggs said. "I refused and so they bound and gagged me and left me in the abandoned shack."

Three of the bandits appeared to be Americans and the other two Mexicans, Griggs said. He gave the police and Sheriff departments a fair description of the men.

CONDITION OF MAYOR UNCHANGED

Los Angeles Official is Reported Holding Own in Recovery From Relapse

Mayor Cryer's condition early last night was reported at his home to be virtually the same as the day before, when physicians in attendance looked forward to a change for the better. The Mayor is believed to be gaining from the relapse he suffered Friday night, when fears for his life were expressed.

It was said yesterday that the touch of pneumonia, which complicated matters Saturday, had not increased in severity. His temperature was still alarmingly high. The Mayor has been confined to his bed for more than a week with an attack of intestinal influenza.

Acting President Workman of the City Council is scheduled to return to the City Hall today, and under the city charter, he will be acting Mayor during the illness of Mayor Cryer.

A large number of ordinances have accumulated during the Mayor's absence and await the signature of President Working as acting Mayor. President Workman has been attending the convention at New Orleans of the American Association of Port Authorities, as a representative of the City Council, of the Harbor Committee of which President Workman is chairman. The charter makes no provision for an acting Mayor in case the President of the Council is ill or absent from the city at the same time the Mayor is also ill or absent from Los Angeles. So during Mayor Cryer's illness, there has been, under the law, no legal Mayor functioning at the City Hall.

ARGONAUTS OF ARCTIC SAVED

Eleven Families Saved by Cutter Algonquin

Marooned Party on Verge of Starvation

Effort to Save Japanese Steamer Fails

First news of two of the most unusual and thrilling rescues ever effected in the ice-bound Arctic was brought to Los Angeles Harbor yesterday by the U.S.S. Algonquin, United States Coast Guard cutter, adding another absorbing chapter to the never-ending romance of the coast guard service in Alaskan waters. The Algonquin is here for winter station and complete overhaul after completing a 19,000-mile patrol cruise in seven months up under the Arctic Circle.

She herself brought the news of her rescue of eleven gold miners and their families from Kotzebue Sound, on the North Alaska coast, after they had been marooned by the Arctic winter. News of their plight reached the Algonquin through the act of one of their number in hiking 100 miles over the mountains to the nearest telegraph station.

NEAR STARVATION

The stranded argonauts, near starvation when the Algonquin reached them, had to be transported eleven miles in small boats to the Algonquin, the ice and reefs of Kotzebue Sound preventing the craft from reaching them.

The Algonquin reached Nome with the eleven families on October 28 and immediately headed south for winter quarters—already having overstayed her season. But shortly after getting underway radio distress signals were picked up from the Japanese steamer Shinkoku Maru, reporting herself with a broken tail shaft and helpless in a storm in latitude 51 north, longitude 162 west. The Algonquin reached her on November 4, got a line aboard and started against the gale for St. Paul, Alaska. The storm increased and on November 7 the hawser parted twice under the tremendous strain of the 10,000-ton freighter, finally disabling the towing machinery and towing rail of the Algonquin so seriously that she was forced to cast off and radio for assistance.

SHIP TOTAL LOSS

A week later the tug Numaconna reached the scene from Seattle, but after fighting the storm for thirty-five days and night, the 1500-horse-power tug was herself forced to cast off the helpless vessel. That night the Shinkoku Maru was driven ashore on Montague Island, a total loss.

During her record cruise the Algonquin operated from the northern end of Alaska, south to Bristol Bay and westward to Attu, the very tip of the Aleutian Islands chain, and the westermost contiguous possession of the United States.

In addition to the two above instances, the Algonquin last summer rescued nearly a score of stranded and helpless craft of the Alaskan fishing fleet.

She is in command of Lieutenant-Commander E. A. Coffin, veteran officer of the coast guard in Alaska, and carries a crew of sixty men.

LONE BANDIT ROBS RESTAURANT CASHIER

A lone bandit early yesterday morning entered the Club Cafe at 600 West Ninth street and forced C. W. Ray, the cashier, to turn over the contents of the cash register, amounting to $100. No one was in the restaurant excepting Ray when the bandit entered. The bandit appeared to be an American of medium height and weight, Ray said. He wore no coat.

Saved From Death by Coast Guard Cutter

Rescued Miners and Their Families

Escape starvation on Alaska shore, where they were marooned 135 miles north of the Arctic Circle.

HUGE PHONE EXPENDITURE

Vice-president Griswold Tells of Plans To Expand $19,200,000 in Los Angeles

A. H. Griswold, newly elected vice-president of the Southern California Telephone Company, who recently arrived in Los Angeles, stated yesterday that the announced construction program of the company for 1924 will mean the expenditure of $19,200,000. This amount, he declared, will be spent on the Los Angeles exchange alone. In addition to this expenditure, Griswold said there has been expended during 1923, $9,604,000 for buildings and equipment which will be brought into service during the year 1924.

"While the company's construction programs have been huge in past years, the 1924 program is the largest in the history of the organization," he said. "Plans are under way to make a net gain in telephones in 1924 of 60,000.

"This means we will be serving considerably in excess of 250,000 telephones by the end of next year. Our program is unprecedented when it is considered that the station gain for 1924 covers approximately as many telephones as was served by either company just previous to the consolidation of 1917.

"The announced construction program of $14,000,000 for 1923 has been considerably exceeded, and I find," said Griswold, "that the organization has done next to the impossible in its efforts to meet the requirements of the fastest growing city in the United States, New York City not excepted.

"Our plans have been made and are being executed along the lines necessary to meet the requirements of a great metropolitan city which Los Angeles, in fact, has now become."

Details of the program show that $7,689,000 is the amount to be spent for additional central office equipment; $4,378,000 for cables and lines; $1,854,000 for new buildings, and $5,205,000 for miscellaneous work and materials.

WINS SONG CONTEST

Dr. Ralph Power of Los Angeles won the first prize in the annual Alpha Kappa Psi fraternity song contest, according to announcement from the Indianapolis headquarters. Dr. Power, who is a former editor of the fraternity's magazine, participated with entries from over fifty chapters to write an original song especially adapted to the fraternity.

Youth Accused of Taking Coat From Motorist

A youth was arrested at Seventh street and Broadway yesterday by Detectives Allen and Graf who said they saw him take an overcoat from an automobile.

At Central Station the youth gave his name as J. J. Hagan, 23 years of age, and said he is the son of an ex-governor of Alabama. When searched he had only thirty cents.

The overcoat was said to belong to Charles Thompson of 741 South Broadway.

INDIANANS TO DANCE

Former residents of Indiana and their friends are invited to the entertainment and dance of the Indiana State Society tomorrow evening at the Fraternal Brotherhood Hall, 845 South Figueroa street.

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MOTORLESS PLANE SUCCESS

Creation of Students is Expected to Revolutionize Modern Methods of Aviation

Experiments that are hoped will eventually bring about the practical development of the "air flivver" and that have already allowed the experimenters to check up important data are being conducted at Ross Field, the army balloon school at Arcadia, by professors and students of California Institute of Technology, in the flying of a motorless glider built by two "Tech" students and piloted by a former flying instructor in government aviation schools.

Some of the most successful flights ever made were conducted yesterday. The glider, towed at the end of a steel line behind an automobile, is carried to a height of 200 feet, where the line is dropped, and then glides to earth. The pilot manages his craft by simple airplane controls, and can handle turning and banking and landing with apparent ease.

Walter Claverie, who took up flying at North Island in 1912, and who during the war was a civilian flying instructor, is pilot of the Tal, as the new glider is called. The plane was built by Louis Kiesling and Gerard Vultee, Tech students, under direction of Prof. A. A. Merrill, head of the department of aeronautics and aerodynamics at the California Institute of Technology. The letters of the name, Tal, stand for Tech Aero Laboratory. Mr. Claverie did all the metal work.

The Tal is forty feet from tip to tip of wing, twenty feet from front to rudder and has a wing depth of four and one-half feet. Empty, it weighs 270 pounds. It is well built and though gliding at twenty miles an hour, could do 116 under motor power and still stand up under the strain. The makers declare the glider could be transformed into an airplane with the addition of a five-horsepower motor.

SUSPECTED WET SPOTS FOUND DRY

Quartet of Raids Nets Little Liquor and Trio of Arrests

The Federal dry caravan traveled 100 miles of arid or semi-arid desert Saturday night and early Sunday morning. Though the prohibition "camels" visited a number of oases that have been found exceedingly moist in the days gone by, the wells were found practically dry when investigated by men under the leadership of Divisional Prohibition Chief Hunt, and George Contreras, of the District-Attorney's office.

The Plantation and the Green Mill cafes, with the Ship Cafe at Venice and Tommy Jacobs's Log Cabin Inn thrown in for good measure, refused to yield more than a few pints of liquor and three prisoners.

The Ship, the first cafe to be raided, yielded two prisoners with a small quantity of liquor, it was said. Tommy Jacobs's supplied one asserted Volstead violator and less liquor. The Green Mill and the Plantation were absolute disappointments from a prohibition officer's viewpoint.

FOOD FURNISHED

The situation at Tommy Jacobs's took a humorous twist. Tommy Jacobs, the manager, hopped on

TWO FLYERS DIE IN SKY TRAGEDY

Army Reserve Aviators Are Killed in Fall

Santa Monica Crowd Sees Nose Dive to Earth

War Formation Spectacle Starts Death Flight

Two air reserve aviators were killed yesterday at Clover Field, Santa Monica, when their plane, in which they were making a short practice flight, crashed from 400 feet up. The pair met their death on the eve of the twentieth anniversary of heavier-than-air flight.

William D. Fowler, 26 years of age, of 2109 North Vine street, a lieutenant in the air reserve, and Harvey Lightfoot, 28, motorcycle policeman at Culver City, a reserve sergeant, of 527 Duquesne street, were the victims of the accident. Fowler died in the ambulance on the way to Veterans' Hospital at Sawtelle, and Lightfoot as he was placed on the operating table.

Fowler had had about 200 hours flying experience, according to Lieut. C. C. Moseley, with no previous accidents, and was regarded as a careful pilot. Lightfoot joined the reserve corps only ten days ago. Fowler had been flying since 1918, joining the Aviation Corps during the World War.

CRASHES TO GROUND

They were flying an army Curtiss plane powered with a 150 horsepower Wright motor and were making a banking turn north of Clover Field to make a landing. According to Lieut. Moseley's account of the crash, their plane had insufficient speed, slipped and went into a spin. It crashed nose-first to earth and was demolished completely.

The wreckage did not catch fire, however, and the two aviators were pulled out, still breathing, but unconscious.

The crash was in a field just north of Clover Field, 400 feet from the road which forms the north boundary of the air-reserve headquarters. It was seen by many reserve aviators, who had assembled at the field for practice in formation flying, and by the usual Sunday crowd of civilians.

PROGRAM CONTINUED

The flying program was carried out despite the accident, five planes in the squadron formation a short time after the wreckage was cleared up.

Lieut. Moseley declared the accident was no fault of the plane. This, he said, had been inspected thoroughly before the flight was made and was in first-class condition.

The accident was the second only since the air reserve was established on the Coast. The reserve has been singularly free from fatalities.

Lieut. Fowler held a commission in the Air Service during the World War. At the close of the war he joined the Aviation Reserve Corps and had been flying frequently at Clover Feld. He was employed at the Parmelee-Dohrmann company. He leaves a widow. Sergt. Lightfoot was not married, according to the records at Clover Field.

Whittier Fund Seat Sale Goes Far Over Goal

A hundred seats more than were necessary to make up the $100,000 endowment fund for Whittier College have been sold for the John Greenleaf Whittier Birthday Anniversary banquet at the Ambassador at 6 p.m., today, it was announced yesterday. Three hundred plates remained unsold on Friday, but the committee buckled down to work Saturday and not only reached the goal but went $10,000 over.

Gov. Richardson and Mrs. Richardson will be present, the committee was assured yesterday, completing the expected seating of the guest table, at which the others will be Speaker Merriam, Senator Rominger, William G. McAdoo, Mrs. J. E. Cowles, Mme. Schumann-Heink, and Dr. Walter F. Dexter, president of the college, who will be toastmaster. All the other college presidents in Southern California will be present also.

WHAT Los Angeles Most Needs Now

After the publication recently of an editorial in which The Times set forth its belief that the development of Los Angeles should be made on more evenly balanced lines than has so far characterized it, a number of prominent citizens were asked to express their views in answer to the question: "What Does Los Angeles Most Need Now?" The replies will be published daily under this heading.

BY HENRY M. ROBINSON,
President First National Bank

The following may be included under the heading of "What Los Angeles Most Needs Now:"

(1.) A development of a strong spirit of inter community co-operation, based upon the realization that Los Angeles can develop into a metropolitan industrial, commercial and financial center only through the fullest co-operation with contiguous districts which are producing the raw materials and consuming the finished products which Los Angeles is manufacturing or desires to manufacture.

(2.) A corollary of the first item consisting of a further development of the spirit of co-operation within this city in the solution of the important internal problems of Los Angeles as it enters its era of metropolitanism.

(3.) Augmenting and enlarging traffic facilities for the handling of the growing commerce of this district, including therein the harbor, railways and highways.

(4.) A balanced program of development enjoying the support of the community which can probably be best developed through an industrial survey similar to the survey of the harbor which has been undertaken by the Committee of Two Hundred.

(5.) For purposes of permitting already existing manufacturing concerns to expand to meet the demand for their products, some machinery is needed which will induce the public to invest in the securities of such manufacturing institutions on a basis of a reasonable return on such investment. This is only possible at the present time in a very limited degree because of the unusual returns on other forms of investment.

(6.) Still larger community support of education and educational institutions from the primary schools to the colleges and universities, so as to provide the man power upon which to build the Los Angeles of the future.

(7.) Greater community support of those items which make for the aesthetic enjoyment of life, including the arts, the development of a community-park program and city planning.

SENTENCE ON DEGNAN DUE TODAY

Maximum of Twenty Years Can be Given on Count of Attempted Attack

Sentence on Michael Degnan, radium expert, is due to be passed today at 9:30 by Judge Conkling, following his conviction Saturday by a jury which found him guilty of assault and attempted criminal attack upon Miss Eloise Clement.

The assault charge carries with it a maximum sentence of six months in jail and a $500 fine, while the other sentence is from one to twenty years in the penitentiary. Le Compte Davis, defense counsel, has indicated his intention of giving oral notice of appeal.

Degnan was committed to the County Jail by Judge Conkling after the jury's verdict Saturday, but it is expected that efforts to gain his release on bail will be made today.

...R DEAD IS TRAFFIC TOLL

...tcists and Motorcycle Officer Killed in Crashes; Many Seriously Injured

...ons, including a motorcycle officer, were killed and several severely hurt that they may die in a series of traffic ...terday.

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BEVY OF BABY STARS OF FILMLAND

Awarded Wampas' Much Coveted Honors

Group of Screen Juveniles

Left to right: Clara Bow, Blanche Mahaffey, Elinor Fair, Gloria Grey, Carmelita Geraghty, Margaret Morris, Julanne Johnston, Dorothy Mackaill, Hazel Keener, Marian Nixon, Lucille Ricksen, Alberta Vaughn and Ruth Hiatt.

THE baby stars of 1924 in filmland were selected yesterday by the Wampas at the United Studios. It is an annual custom of the Wampas, or the Western Motion Picture Advertisers, to pick thirteen film actresses on whom to place the wreath of "future fame." Much press agent oratory preceded the decisions.

The lucky girls, who also will go to San Francisco in a specially decorated coach for the annual Wampas ball and frolic, are Blanche Mahaffey of Roach Productions; Carmelita Geraghty, Julanne Johnstone, Fairbanks Productions; Margaret Morris, Universal; Dorothy Mackaill; Alberta Vaughan, Robertson-Cole; Hazel Keener, J. H. Brown Productions; Marion Nixon, Fox; Lucille Ricksen, Ince; Gloria Grey, Emory Johnson Productions; Elinor Faire and Ruth Hiatt, Educational, and Clara Bow, Schulberg.

Before choosing the list the Wampas consulted witth casting directors, producers and directors, and secured about sixty candidates.

The baby stars in other years are all said to have achieved fame, some in a greater measure than others. To be chosen as a baby star is said to be a much sought after honor and one that goes a long way toward securing recognition from producers.

Unnatural History

THE HERON

Hey, there!—the Heron!

The Heron lives at the top of a long pair of legs.

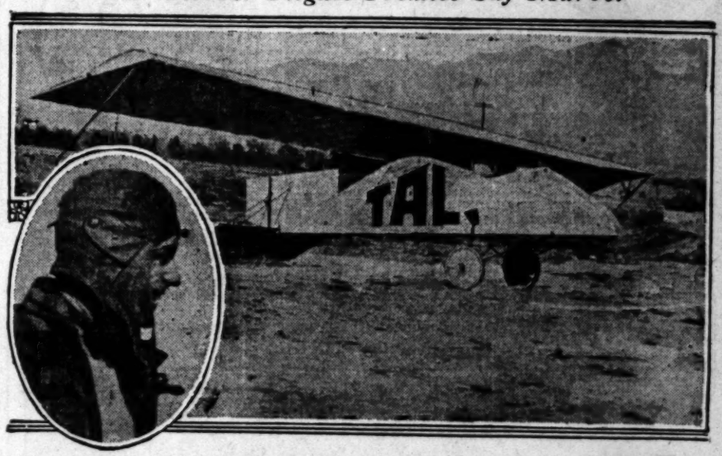
This makes him good at Heron Hounds.

The Heron's plumage is in constant danger from the female vote.

So he is said to be experimenting with safety-pin feathers.

Such a device ought to help cheer up the Blue Heron.

Air Flivver Flights Promise Sky Marvel



New Air Creation and Its Pilot Walter Claverie

TEACHERS WILL CONVENE HERE

Institute Week Starts in City This Morning

Five Counties Represented in Local Sessions

Many Prominent Educators to Give Addresses

Five counties and eight cities of Southern California will conduct joint teachers' institute this week here in Los Angeles beginning this morning and lasting until Friday night.

One week of each year teachers in the State must attend institute, according to the State school laws. This year the present week before the Christmas holidays was set aside, which adds an extra week of vacation to the usual holiday given the school children.

The following are the counties which are represented here this week: Los Angeles, Imperial, Riverside, San Bernardino and San Diego. The city school district teachers who also are here are: Long Beach, Los Angeles, Pasadena, Pomona, Riverside, San Bernardino, San Diego and Santa Monica.

Today and tomorrow will be devoted to the individual institutes conducted by each separate city and county school district at various school and civic auditoriums in the city to help in the solution of problems local to the various communities. The last three days of the week will be devoted to the thirtieth annual session of the California Teachers' Association, southern section, which will be joint sessions of all the school districts represented, both city and county.

Practically every problem that has to do with the education of children from the time they enter the kindergarten until they graduate from high school will be the subject of lectures. Speakers from the best schools and colleges in the United States have been secured for the week.

Among the prominent lecturers is Dr. R. B. von KleinSmid, president of the University of Southern California, who will address the third annual conference on educational research tomorrow afternoon at the Morosco Theater, 744 South Broadway, at 1:30 p.m. His address will be on the "Implications in Education for Psychological Research."

Dr. von KleinSmid will be followed by Dr. W. C. Bagley, professor of education, Teachers' College, Columbia University, on "Crises and Criticisms in Education." Dr. Bagley's address is scheduled to begin at 2 p.m.

Among the various lecturers who will make addresses during the general sessions of the Los Angeles City Teachers' Institute are: Dr. E. W. Chubb, dean of Ohio University; Dr. E. Davenport, dean, College of Agriculture, University of Illinois; Dr. Augustus O. Thomas, State Commissioner of Education, Maine; Dr. Walter F. Dexter, president of Whittier College and Dr. Frederick W. Roman.

Dr. David Starr Jordan, president emeritus of Stanford University, will lecture on "The Problems of the University" at Philharmonic Auditorium at 9 a.m. under the auspices of the California Teachers' Association. He also will lecture Thursday afternoon at the same place on "The Way Out of War."

Five Horses Are Killed as Fire Razes Hay Barn

Five horses were burned to death and a large quantity of hay and farming implements destroyed when a large hay barn owned by William Sand at Sixteenth street and West Boulevard, Hyde Park, was razed by fire last night at 9 o'clock.

Although the city fire department responded to an alarm, lack of water in the district resulted in a total loss to the structure. Efforts of the fire fighters were confined to preventing a spread of the flames.

STORM-TOSSED BOAT IN PORT

Battered Sub-Chaser Here After Long Trip

Arrives From Panama With Variegated Crew

Intended Pleasure Craft in Sorry Condition

The three men who went to sea in a bowl have been thoroughly outdone by the motley half-dozen who yesterday morning came into Los Angeles Harbor aboard the ex-Navy subchaser 284—173 days from the Panama Canal. They should have made the trip in ten days, but what happened during the other 163 makes the story.

First, one can picture the tale better if it is known that the craft came in yesterday with her stem smashed, her rigging carried away, her decks agape, a huge canvas-covered hole in her stern, two of her three engines completely out of commission, and numerous other little matters—like her paint being knocked off by heat and rough weather, deck gear lost and houses and rails carried away.

BOUGHT IN SPRING

Dr. Justin Gibson, a local dentist, bought the No. 284 last spring at Panama, with the idea of bringing her to Los Angeles Harbor to be converted into a pleasure craft. Next, he engaged as her skipper a man who later turned out to be most anything but a master mariner—which caused most of the trouble.

The start from Balboa for Los Angeles was made on June 29, last, with a crew which Dr. Gibson had dispatched all the way from this city. Two hundred miles north of Balboa they struck heavy weather, in which the subchaser was completely disabled. She wallowed and rolled about in the trough of the seas for three days until a British tug bound for Vancouver, B. C., took her in tow.

LINE BREAKS

The tow line parted twice within twenty-four hours and in attempting to pick up the derelict craft the second time the tug rammed her, tearing a huge hole in her stern. The skipper of the subchaser and the captain of the tug had heavy words across the angry seas about their relative abilities, with the result that the tug headed north and abandoned the subchaser, helpless and sinking in a gale with a hole in her stern.

All three pumps were kept going for two days until the storm subsided and the stern was repaired with canvas. A week later, with all engines still disabled and their food gone, the distress signals of the little craft were sighted by the Pacific Mail liner, San Juan, which towed her to La Union, Salvador, and later to Acajutla.

SKIPPER DISCHARGED

It required fifty days to get the No. 284 out of Acajutla. Dr. Gibson finally discharged the skipper and sent Capt. Harold Eckman down from this port to bring her home. He joined her at Salina Cruz, Mexico.

But in the meantime she had started from Acajutla, broke down again in a storm, and finally limped into Salina Cruz after two months under a jury rig of sail that shoved her along at three knots—if there was a gale of wind astern.

Hans Greenwald, the chief engineer, was the only man to stick with the ship throughout the entire voyage. When she arrived yesterday morning the No. 284 was manned by a Norwegian skipper, two German engineers, a pair of Mexican deck-hands and a Jamaican negro cook.

THOROUGH TREATMENT

At a medical convention a young candidate for medical honors was having a hard time answering the questions put to him. Finally, one of the professors asked, "How would you sweat a patient for rheumatism?"

"I'd send here to be examined," said the student, mopping his beaded brow.

RENEW WAR ON BLUE LAWS

Council Today Expected to Hear Delayed Report of Special Committee of Fifteen

What shall be done with the Los Angeles "blue laws"? Shall they be made still "bluer" or shall the ordinance, regulations and other measures pertaining thereto be diluted to a light, dainty, say, "baby blue"?

The City Council is again scheduled to attack this weighty problem during the week starting today, and will make another effort to call together at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon in the Council chamber the Special Committee of Fifteen to consider whether something shall be done to appease the wrath of those who object to a large and determined-looking policeman stalking into a ballroom at the midnight hour and shooing the dancers home to bed. The committee tried to get together last Thursday afternoon, but the Council had previously decreed at the same hour a hearing should be given property owners who had never heard of any dance ordinance but were greatly interested, excited and angry over some bills they had received for paving their street.

TALKED AND TALKED

The law was on the side of the property owners and they talked, and talked and talked, while the invited representatives of organizations asked to assist the Council in considering the midnight-closing dance ordinance waited and waited, and finally went home boiling with indignation and wrath. Chairman Criswell of the committee apologized for the unfortunate occurrence and called another meeting of the dance committee for 1:30 o'clock this afternoon.

City Attorney Stephens and City Prosecutor Friedlander are scheduled to put their legal minds in tune this week and see what can be done, as instructed by the City Council, to squeeze some foolish, out-of-date laws from the 700-page, 10-pound volume which is the penal code of the city. Then on Wednesday afternoon the Council's Public Welfare Committee will consider the request of the Police Commission that Foolish Law No. 487,777,999 be thrown into the discard. This regulation provides that when two or more people in Los Angeles decide to hold a meeting about something or other or for no purpose at all, they must, before speaking to each other in concourse assembled, first show the Police Commission their birth certificates, their automobile driver's licenses, their marriage certificates and divorce papers, (if they have them) and certificates showing that their headlights have been adjusted and their automobile signalling device (horns or bells) are working.

MAY BE GIVEN PERMIT

Upon a showing being made to the Police Commission that the applicant is also of sound mind and body and has not been convicted of any felony against the peace, order and dignity of the United States of America, State of California and City of Los Angeles, the commission may issue a permit for the meeting. The commission told the Council that this law was, in the commission's opinion, unconstitutional, (as well as foolish) and asked that it be repealed.

Last week's grist of letters to the Council on the subject of "blue laws" from persons both for and against was large, but there was a slump during the closing hours of Saturday, and the Council is of the opinion that the storm is about over, having been blown away by the recent "big wind." However, A. W. Plummer of 1233 Magnolia street sent the Council a few remarks which will be read at today's session calling attention to the laws prohibiting children from roller skating and riding bicycles on the sidewalks as well as playing baseball in the streets, and declaring that although it is customary for children to do these things, they are, in fact, lawbreakers, and Mr. Plummer opined that laws on the books should be either enforced or thrown out of the window.

C. De Kays's litter will be read to the Council today in which he wants all foolish city laws repealed.

"Don't let other cities laugh at us," declared Mr. De Kays.

HUMAN FLY TO SCALE HOTEL

Bill Strother of Liberty Loan Drive Fame Will Climb Biltmore Building Tonight

Climbing up the side of a twelve-story building with nothing to aid you but the protuberances of the architecture is easy if a fellow is gifted that way, says Bill Strother, human fly.

Bill will give a demonstration of his peculiar gift by climbing to the roof of the Biltmore Hotel, on the Fifth street side, tonight at 8 o'clock. The feat will be performed under the auspices of the Disabled Veterans' Bureau.

He has been making his living by climbing buildings for nine years and believes nature intended him for this line of endeavor. "I've tried other things but couldn't make a go of them," quoth he.

His most notable achievement was the ascent of the Woolworth Building in New York, from the sidewalk to the topmost pinnacle of the tower, more than 600 feet above.

During the war he assisted in raising millions of dollars in Liberty Loan drives. "One evening I climbed the Craymore Hotel at Atlantic City and when I reached the tenth story I entered a guest's room through a window and induced him to subscribe $10,000," he said.

He has had two falls in the course of his precarious career. One was in New Jersey where a piece of masonry gave way and the other at Burbank when he started to climb without perfect confidence in himself. Once he had a narrow escape when he fell from the fifth story and saved himself by catching a ledge at the third.

"Concentration is what enables me to do my work," he said, "that and the protection of Providence. Something tells me before I start whether I will succeed or not. At Burbank I thought I was going to fail and I did."

JUDGE URGES AID TO LAW

United States Jurist Declares People Can Enact New Rulings if They Desire Changes

U. S. Dist. Judge Bledsoe stood in the pulpit of the First Methodist Church yesterday afternoon and told 3000 men and women that law enforcement was the one real controversy.

Brushing aside the hundred and one trimmings and trivialities injected into the agitation by both sides in the controversy, Judge Bledsoe told his audience that laws could be changed but not disregarded.

"This government," he said, quoting the Attorney General of the United States, "will endure on issue in the present "blue laws' the rock of law enforcement or it will perish in the quicksands of lawlessness."

The speaker made it plain that he held respect and support of the law to be the very foundation stone of civilization and patriotism and had but little interest in the lesser questions that led to the present "blue laws" discussion.

"I do not know whether we have blue laws here or not but I do know that no law can be so blue that it ought to make any one of us see red," he said in the early portions of his address.

The civilization and social institutions of today are the result of an endless conflict between those who wanted to do what they pleased and do it when they wanted and the courageous and far-seeing souls who saw the wisdom of limiting themselves and others for the general peace and general welfare, Judge Bledsoe declared.

URGES UNDERSTANDING

"Law," he continued, using another quotation, "is reason without passion." A "mutual limiting and limitation" to be determined by those who will be governed by the law, is the solution of the present problem, Judge Bledsoe said. The various elements can get together, "in reason and counsel" with all the decent and progressive elements in the community and arrive at an understanding, to be translated into law, he declared. "I am not concerned now with what we may do. When a program is presented it will be time enough to decide. My only concern is that there shall be a support of law as it is as long as it remains as it is," Judge Bledsoe thundered.

The real patriot, he added, is not the man who mouths the loudest when the flag goes by, but rather the man who obeys the law he does not like.

He warned against setting aside enforcement of the law for any "inconsequential and unimportant reason."

"It is not a question of whether some of our laws are archaic or that perhaps more industries would come if we lifted the lid once in a while. It is not a question of what may be going on in some hotel at five minutes after midnight, but rather a question of whether we are going to undermine the principles of American government and respect for the law," he said.

Focusing attention on the present controversy, Judge Bledsoe prophesied that we are going to counsel together and indulge in reason without passion, are going to determine for ourselves what is the best for the entire community, and then enact some new laws—if we must have new laws, and then we are going to insist that all who enter the portals of this city abide by these laws."

DEMISE OF HOODENPYL UNEXPECTED

Long Beach City Counsel Since 1915 Dies Suddenly at Sanatorium

By a "Times" Staff Correspondent.

LONG BEACH, Dec. 16.—George L. Hoodenpyl, City Attorney of Long Beach since 1915, died suddenly today in the Loma Linda Sanatorium near Riverside. He would have been 52 years of age on Christmas Day. Mr. Hoodenpyl had been in poor health for the past eighteen months and away from his office for four months. He had been at Loma Linda for the past month, and was reported yesterday to be considerably improved. He was found dead in bed this morning.

His body and news of his death were brought to the city tonight by City Manager Windham, a distant relative, who had gone to visit him. The corpse was taken to the Holton & Sons undertaking rooms, from where funeral arrangements will be announced later.

He leaves his mother, Mrs. Lizzie Hoodenpyl of 218 East Sixth street, who visited him yesterday, and two half-brothers, Walter Hoodenpyl of Riverside and Maurice Hoodenpyl of McMinville, Tenn. Mr. Hoodenpyl was born in McMinville.

Mr. Hoodenpyl came to Long Beach in 1908. His death is regarded as unfortunate for the city because of the tangle over the purchase of the gas plant of the Southern Counties Gas Company, in which the company desires to retain its franchise. It is expected that Burr Brown, assistant City Attorney, will be named to succeed him until the term expires, July 1, next.

WOOLWINE REPORTED IMPROVED

Brother of Former Local Official Has Cheering News From Paris

Slightly more encouraging reports concerning the condition of Thomas Lee Woolwine, former District Attorney of Los Angeles, critically ill in Paris, were received here yesterday by James E. Woolwine, brother of the former official. This information was received in a telegram from another brother, Sam S. Woolwine of Nashville, Tenn., who had inquired by cable of members of Mr. Woolwine's party in the French capital following the reported relapse.

Until his collapse Saturday, Mr. Woolwine was apparently improved and physicians had planned on a second blood transfusion sometime later in the week. The latest report Saturday night indicated that physicians had decided on immediate transfusion of blood and that the former official's life was despaired of.

RECORD MADE IN POLICE CLEAN-UP

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here is broadcast over the country."

Although a record number of arrests were made early yesterday morning, there were fewer arrested on drunk charges than ordinarily during the week-end. Out of the total of 286 arrested, thirty-seven were booked for drunkenness.

FOUR KILLED IN ACCIDENTS

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in the Receiving Hospital. Edward Ginzel, 30, driver of the machine, was arrested on suspicion of manslaughter. He lives at 915 Gardner street; he was slightly hurt in the crash. Black lived at Twentieth street and Central avenue.

Miss Emma Reed, 22 years of age, of 737 Fenrith street, was seriously hurt yesterday when she was struck by an automobile at Whittier Boulevard and Mott street, where she was running to catch a street car. The driver of the car, James Adamson of 2611 East Second street, took her to White Memorial Hospital, where it was found she had serious head injuries. Her condition is considered critical. Adamson was released after an investigation by police.

Virginia Hobson, 4 years of age, of One Hundred and Ninth street and South Park avenue, was struck near her home by an automobile driven by Albert Johnson of 7145 South Alameda street, according to police record. She was taken to Children's Hospital, suffering from a broken left leg, possible skull fracture and possible internal injuries. She was walking with her father, De Witt Hobson, when she was struck.

Mrs. Lou E. Hilpert, 20 years of age, and Horace J. Denner, 19, both residing at 427 West Eighty-fourth street, were painfully injured early yesterday when the machine which Denner was driving collided at Forty-eighth and Figueroa with a machine driven by Max Turner. Mrs. Hilpert, an expectant mother, was rushed to the Clara Barton Hospital. Mrs. Denner, also an occupant in the machine with her husband, was uninjured.

AUTO AND TRAIN CRASH

One man received a fractured skull and another suffered painful bruises and abrasions last night when an automobile driven by Harry E. Burgess, 344 Cedar avenue, Long Beach, and a Pacific Electric Redondo train met in a spectacular collision at the Pacific Electric crossing on South Park avenue.

Robert M. Newell, a casual passenger whom Burgess had picked up on his way from Compton to Los Angeles, suffered a depressed fracture of the skull. Burgess escaped with severe abrasions and body bruises.

VIADUCT SHARE QUOTA SOUGHT

State to be Asked to Fix Proportional Cost

Four-Way Cut on Bridge Expense Proposed

Outlay Expected to Exceed $5,000,000

The California Railroad Commission, in an application to be filed within the next ten days, will be asked by the city and county governments, the railroads and the street railway companies to decide the proportionate share of the cost each of the interested and benefited parties should bear of the six viaducts to be built over the Los Angeles River at Aliso, Macey, First, Fourth, Seventh and Ninth streets.

City Engineer Griffin is now at work on the specifications for the Ninth-street viaduct, which will be the first built, and which will replace the present outworn, inadequate Ninth-street bridge.

At preliminary conferences at the City Hall it was tentatively estimated that the total cost of the viaducts, including relocating of railroad tracks on both sides of the Los Angeles River, would be between $5,000,000 and $8,000,000, and that each of the interested parties would pay an equal share of the cost, although the pro rata for each viaduct would be different. The Los Angeles Railway, for example, would not use the Aliso-street viaduct and probably would not use the Ninth-street viaduct for years to come. The cost of the railroad track relocation work, it is estimated, will alone be $1,200,000.

The application to the Railroad Commission for a ruling dividing the expense for the viaducts will be signed by the Santa Fe and Union Pacific (Salt Lake) Railroads, Los Angeles and Pacific Electric Street Railways, and the county and city governments. The city government's share of the expense, as decided by the Railroad Commission, will be financed from a $2,000,000 bond issue authorized at the city election on June 5, last.

SUSPECTED WET SPOTS ARE DRY

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a chair, and directed the orchestra playing "How Dry I Am."

"Remember we furnish nothing but the music," he called to his dancing patrons.

Then, by way of showing that the Federal officers were welcome at any time, he invited them all into the kitchen to have coffee and sandwiches. The dry caravan left while the orchestra played "Hail, Hail, the Gang's All Here."

Not only were the better known cafes found devoid of intoxicants, but small outlying cabins, sequestered in the hills, yet suspected of providing the cup that cheers, were found practically cold and deserted.

GAMBLING CHARGED

Following devious trails and by ways the caravan proceeded to Pasadena early Saturday night, and, two miles north of the Flintridge Country Club, swooped down on an asserted bootlegger's nest and gambling joint.

Inside were found three men and considerable gambling paraphernalia, including a table made especially to roll dice on and several sets of the galloping dominoes. No liquor was discovered. One of the three men was caught as he attempted to escape via the back door into the sagebrush. All three were booked on gambling charges.

ANGELENO DROWNS AS ICE BREAKS

Duck-Hunting Trip to Baldwin Lake is Fatal to Young Man

Despite the heroic efforts of his 16-year-old brother William, Thomas Clint Medanich, 29 years of age, of 607 Ezra street, was drowned at Baldwin Lake yesterday morning when the ice on the lake gave way under him while he was hunting ducks.

The two brothers, together with a third brother Louis, left Los Angeles Saturday on the duck hunting trip. According to the youngest brother, William, he was walking on the ice about 300 yards behind Thomas when he suddenly saw the latter break through. He ran to the brother struggling in the lake and dived into the icy water in two futile efforts to bring up the brother, who had disappeared. The third brother, Louis, arrived on the scene about an hour and one-half later and the two together succeeded in recovering the body.

Following an inquest conducted by Coroner J. B. Hanna, the body was removed to San Bernardino. Medanich, who conducted a machine shop at 126 West Pico, was single and lived with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas L. Medanich, at the Ezra street address.

25 Per Cent For Rent

Economists say that the average American family spends approximately 25 per cent of its income for rent, hence finding a suitable home is a problem of importance.

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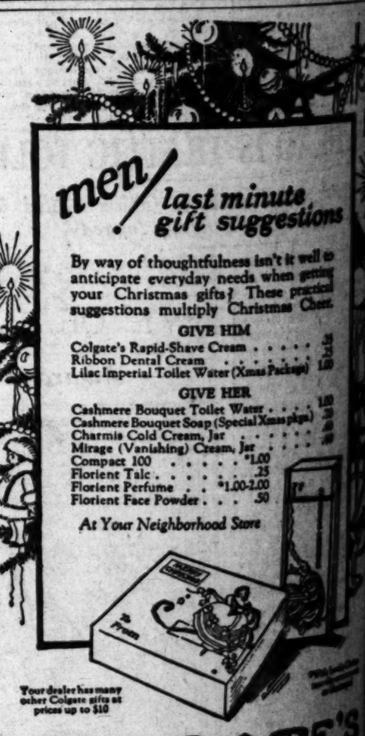

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HALLENGES DEATH WITH SWORD OF LIVING FAITH

Rev. E. T. Coyner in KHJ Sermon Declares Passing Moment Greatest of Existence

Challenging death with the sword of faith and declaring that the time of the soul's departure from "this bank and shoal of time" is the most glorious moment in the Christian's experience, Rev. E. T. Coyner, pastor of the Evangelical Lutheran Church of the Epiphany, yesterday sent a message of comfort and demands of believers when he preached to the KHJ audience of The Times broadcasting station.

Time and space made obeisance to mind of man as Mr. Coyner began his sermon by addressing his "dear mother, on the other side of the continent, as if she had been standing in his presence. Taking from the text "Thy King cometh," Mr. Coyner spoke in part as follows:

"Greetings to my dear friends in Radio World—especially to my mother in Virginia, and relatives in North Carolina, Michigan and Missouri! My friend, however, is to all who are immortal souls. My message is to all who know and love our Lord and His Gospel, yet it is also for those who know not the Christ and His blessed doctrine. Of these I know two classes. One class knows the need of help. They realize the need but have not found it in the Gospel. For them, this message is a glad surprise, for it comes to the darkness for souls in the maze of uncertainty. The other class are those who know not their sickness and do not want to be healed of it. They are sufficient unto themselves. My message is for them also. It is for them in a symbolic sense for they need it most of all. They need first to be awakened to a sense of danger.

"KING PARDONED

"There was once a great King whose wide domain contained a large and rebellious people who would not pay tribute nor render due homage to this king. All this in spite of the fact that they had uniformly been treated most generously by their sovereign. To bring matters to a climax, these people killed the messengers of the king, who came to require their duty. The king was still magnanimous and sent his own son to try to win them by the many favors of their rightful Lord, back to dutiful allegiance. In vain. They even killed the prince with torture. The king was not subdued these actions made them surrender by overwhelming force. Then he entered triumphantly into that city. What did he do? Surely his wrath was terrible and he destroyed them utterly. No, he did not. He granted them pardon. He entered into their cities not in serried rank of armed men but riding upon an ass accompanied by a few unarmed followers while the children shouted, 'Hosanna to the King.' That is the background of our text and its message. 'Thy King cometh unto thee meek and lowly, willing and glad to extend the hand of complete forgiveness to thee.'

"SHOULD YOUR KING!"

"Perhaps you do not acknowledge the jurisdiction of this king. You consider Him a mere man. The spirit of infidelic thought and unbelief which now engrolling the world is to be positively withstood by the divine revelation of Jesus Christ. This is seen in the many Messianic prophecies, in the circumstances of the birth and life of Jesus, in the angels' proclamation, 'Unto you is born in the city of David a Savior which is Christ the Lord,' in the pronouncement of the Savior. This is my beloved Son,' in the miracles of Jesus and in the grand conclusion of history, his resurrection from the dead. Such and none other is your King. Hell is not for man. Paradise was for man. Hell was made for the devil and for those who will not have him and refuse to obey God.

"Is it any wonder that a mortal is to be judged by God? Yes, verily. He is coming with His saints, His elect. Can anything be too solemn when the King descends from heaven with power and great glory? Heaven with all its joys is ours forever.

"The approach of our death should not be a cause of fear but of joy and gladness. Would we ever fully realize that it will give scoffers occasion to mock us by our great boasting and flinging from this life, our father welcome it as the best day of all—the day of deliverance from all sin.

"GOD DWELLS IN SOUL OF MAN

Rev. Fay Daugherty, pastor of First Christian Church, Pasadena, on "The Dwelling Place of Truth." He said in part:

"The most pertinent question you can ask and you will find the answer in the silence where the Spirit of God bears witness with our spirit and nowhere else. Not in the creeds, the dogmas, the conventionalities, not even in the Book which we accept as supreme, for all these matters always have brought and always will bring the heart of final passion to God; but God dwells in the heart of faith; who speaks in the heart of judgments, if the heart would leave no room for faith and duty.

"Where in human life since the days that under the Spirit of God in every human heart, in every good will; in every impulse of brotherly love; in every passion for righteousness and purity; the spirit of God directing things and bringing up and out of the darkness and for standards shall be and the Christ life is the life.

"SUNDAY PREACHERS AND OPPORTUNITY

Rev. Mr. Hall, preacher for the Christian Students' Association, speaking on "Our Opportunity," in part he said:

"Jesus went to war with the world and have not yet reached the eternal torment of Christendom and the unsaved ones because they have not shed their blood fighting about in

space, as the spiritists would make men believe. They are dead, waiting for the resurrection, and in due time they shall be brought back to the condition of life and restored to their loved ones and be given a full opportunity and live forever. Many a good mother has spent sleepless nights and wept tears of bitterness because of her loved one that died on the battlefield. Many a sweetheart, many a father, many a child, has likewise been bowed down in sorrow because of the great suffering that the war, trouble and death entailed upon the people. What a wonderful opportunity the clergy have had and neglected during the last five years of distress! Instead of misleading the people into erroneous ways, where they have found sorrow reigning in the home because of the death of loved ones, because of the loss upon the battlefield of some dear one, what a splendid opportunity to call attention to the precious promises of the Scriptures!"

DISCUSSES ESOTERIC DOCTRINES OF JESUS

That there is in the Christian religion an inner circle with its occult teachings was the assertion of Rev. Claire L. Waite yesterday morning at the Pico Heights Christian Church.

"All religions have their outer and inner groups, their popular doctrines and their inner mysteries, hidden from the many and revealed only to the favored few," said Mr. Waite. "To those nearest him Jesus said, 'Unto you it is given to know the mysteries of the kingdom of heaven but unto them it is not given.' From among the mass of His followers Christ chose twelve apostles, and from the twelve He selected as His most intimate associates three unlettered men from the lumbler walks of life—Peter, James and John. He admitted these three into the inner circle because they were the most receptive and possessed the greatest capacity for growth in character. Simon, the unstable, became Peter, the man of rock. John, the 'son of thunder,' became the apostle of love. So today, 'some bear fruit thirty-fold, some sixty-fold, some an hundred-fold.' Many persons are depriving themselves of the finest joy and the best blessings of the religion of Christ because they are not teachable as is the little child whom the master places first in His Kingdom."

HURLS BROADSIDE AT INFIDELITY

"Those who denounce Christianity ought to try their theories out in a land where the gospel has never gone—but you'd have a hard time getting an infidel away from the protection that comes to him from the presence of the church."

That was one of the stinging blows dealt infidelity by Rev. Bruce Brown in a sermon yesterday at the South Park Christian Church. Dr. Brown's sermon was in part as follows:

"All there is of Christianity can be summed up in a single text: 'He came that we might have life and have it more abundantly.' If this is true we may let all other matters take care of themselves. If this is false there is nothing else that is worth while. What we need beyond everything else is to have life enriched and enlarged. If religion does this it is abundantly worth while. A man can determine for himself whether the things taught by Christ add any value to life. If obedience to His teaching will corrupt morals and ruin health and debase character man needs none of it. But no man has ever been made worse by following the Great Exemplar. When His principles are taken from society its whole foundation has been undermined. No government can long exist that defies His commands. His truth is as essential to our highest welfare as the sunlight is to our health and whenever it is shut out everything worth while withers like flowers in the gas light.

We do not need to explore all philosophies and theologies in order to form definite conclusions regarding religion. As certainly as day comes with the rising of the sun, civilization and morality and progress are dependent upon His teachings and these disappear when that truth is obscured as certainly as darkness follows an eclipse."

RELIGION, NOT CREED, NEEDED, SAYS RABBI

Rabbi E. F. Magnin of Temple B'nai B'rith preached last Saturday on "The Need for Spirituality." He said in part:

"Religions are to be evaluated on the basis of the spiritual results they produce. I do not hold the size of the churches or the average weekly attendance as the basis of measurement. Churches and Synagogues are not factories and cannot measure their results in a statistical way. Who can measure spiritual values? They are too subtle and elusive. It is therefore false logic to regard numerical growth as the test. The test is the lives of th. constituents. How much better are they? How much kinder are they? How much more tolerant are they? How much more generous are they? How much more peaceful are they? How much more law abiding are they? These are some of the tests to reckon with. More and more real religion is going to be emphasized and formalism dropped. If the churches do not change, the people will desert them as they have already begun to do and become unaffiliated or form new sects. It is the spirit of religion that is necessary."

Sorry He Spoke

He (during the quarrel): You must think I'm as big a fool as I look.

She: I think that if you aren't you've a great deal to be thankful for.—[Boston Transcript.

SIMPLIFIES TAX TASK FOR MANY

New Return Form Prepared for Wage Earners

Both Simple and Adequate, Declares Collector

Affects 68 Per Cent of Those Who Have to File

The new simplified income tax form, just approved by the Internal Revenue Bureau, now about ready for delivery, in the opinion of Collector of Internal Revenue Goodcell will make it as easy for the salaried or wage-earning taxpayer to prepare his return as to write a check.

Statistics indicate that 68 per cent of the returns filed show net incomes of $5000 or less, derived chiefly from salaries and wages. This means that approximately 4,500,000 taxpayers in the nation will be able to use the simplified returns.

The new form has been designed to meet the almost universal criticism that the old blanks were so complicated that it required the services of a lawyer or an expert accountant to fill one out.

THE SIMPLIFIED FORM

All that is now necessary in preparing the new form is to state the amount of salary or wages and other income received, and from this subtract taxes paid, charitable contributions made, personal exemption and credit for dependents, and 4 per cent of the result is the tax. Several very simple questions are asked, showing the taxpayer's marital status, number of dependents, and whether or not a separate return was filed by the husband or wife, and a concise explanation of the deductions taken. Only the face of the return is filled out, as in the case of a taxpayer making out an ordinary bank check, the reverse side being used simply for an indorsement.

Experience has demonstrated, said Collector Goodcell, that most of the taxpayers of this class may be presumed to be honest. If a person whose income is in this class is inclined to be dishonest, more than likely he will not file a return at all. Under the law, however, every person, firm or corporation that pays to any person salary, wages, interest, rents, etc., amounting to $1000 or more, must file with the bureau a report in which the name of each person is given and the amount paid. When these lists are checked the man who fails to file a return will be caught in the tax dragnet. These simplified returns will require but very little auditing.

USE OF LARGER FORM

Persons, any part of whose income for 1923 was derived from business or profession, farming, sale of property or rents, regardless of the amount, will be required to use a larger form. This form will also be required where the net income is in excess of $5000, whether from salary, business, profession or other taxable source.

Forms for filing individual returns of income will be sent to persons who filed similar returns for 1922. It being impossible to ascertain this year the form desired, both forms will be sent to the taxpayer, and he is advised by Collector Goodcell to note carefully the instructions regarding their use and then make his return on the proper form.

Assured by Collector Goodcell of prompt service in furnishing the necessary forms, taxpayers need experience no delay in the filing of their income-tax returns for 1923. The filing period is from January 1 to March 15, 1924. On January 2 forms for filing individual, corporation, partnership, personal-service corporation, fiduciary and other returns will be available at the office of Collector Goodcell. After January 5, a copy of the form desired may be obtained on written request.

Speaking of the new tax-paying form, Collector Goodcell said, "This is the most forward step taken by the Revenue Department with regard to the collection of income taxes. It provides a form of return that is readily within the comprehension of the average taxpayer, and yet so inclusive in its terms as to meet adequately the classes of income it covers."

DOG WIFE'S BEDFELLOW, SAYS MATE

Civil War Veteran and Spouse Accusé Each Other in Suit

Numerous charges and counter-charges relating to the marital difficulties of Lucius P. Tallman, a Civil War veteran, and his wife, Nellie Tallman, were recited in a suit for divorce brought by Tallboth on file yesterday in the Superior Court.

In his complaint, the former soldier, who is now the beneficiary of a pension from Uncle Sam, declared his mate preferred to sleep with her dog and locked him out of her room. Mrs. Tallman was also declared to have entertained other men in their home and to have married the plaintiff for his pension. Tallman further stated his wife kept a watch dog to bite him and that she cared more for a neighbor than she did for her husband.

In her deposition, Mrs. Tallman testified her mate poisoned her dog; that he patronized a "blind pig;" that he kept rats in his home; that she didn't want any of his money, and that he worked days and cursed nights so she couldn't sleep.

TAXICAB DRIVER ROBBED

W. H. Lenheart, a taxicab driver living at 1150 West Fifty-fourth street was robbed of $20 and his watch early yesterday morning by a man who had employed him to drive to Central avenue and Seventieth street, Lenheart reported to police.

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COOTE PROSECUTION RESTS

State to Close Case Today in Embezzlement Trial With Calling of Four Witnesses

The State today will close the prosecution of the case against A. W. Coote, wealthy broker accused of embezzlement, and the defense attorneys will begin arguments to offset the evidence presented by the District-Attorney's office. Their side of the case is expected to consume two days, at the end of which the seven counts will go to the jury for consideration.

The trial before Judge Handy is the result of a grand-jury indictment of Coote on seven counts of embezzlement in which he is accused of misusing funds intrusted to him by clients. A financial pyramid which collapsed from lack of support is said to have resulted from his acceptance of money and bonds which he converted to his own use.

FOUR TO TESTIFY

Four witnesses are to be called by Dep. Dist.-Attys. Van Cott and Becker in their final summing of the case to pin down the loose ends of testimony heretofore given. Among them is one important State witness who has been unable to testify due to an accident sustained in an auto crash after the indictment.

Jessie E. Johnson, named in count 3 of the indictment, is said to have turned over to Coote several thousands of dollars' worth of Shell Union stock for safe-keeping and sale at a profit. This stock, according to testimony introduced by the prosecution, was used by Coote at a local bank for security on which he raised money. Miss Johnson, if her physician, Dr. Norman Sprague, will allow, will be called by the State to testify as to the actual details of the transaction. Her testimony is expected to be a heavy point in the State's case against Coote.

DEFENSE FORECAST

The other witnesses are to be called in order to sew up the loose ends of counts 3 and 7. The former includes the misuse of stocks belonging to Miss Jessie Johnson, the latter sets forth the sale of stock belonging to Miss Eleanor Jeal from which, according to the indictment, she received no reimbursement.

Attorneys Shaw and McDaniel, acting for Mr. Coote, will endeavor on Tuesday to show that Coote in acting for his clients was acting as a debtor and not as an agent and therefore could not be guilty of embezzling their moneys, according to information gained through the week. The witnesses called by them will show that the orders submitted to the brokerage were carried out and that moneys were used properly in the conduct of the business.

Wife Blames Other Woman in Court Plea

Declaring her husband had been more than familiar with Nellie Allen at the latter's home in Laurel Canyon, Hollywood, Mrs. Diana D. Gould had on file in the Superior Court yesterday a suit for divorce against Samuel F. Gould.

Gould was also alleged to have treated his wife with extreme cruelty, it being asserted he had asked her to seek work to assist in obtaining a livelihood, despite the fact that he was said to be earning sufficient for the support of the couple. Mrs. Gould declared her husband caught her roughly by the body and threw her to the floor, bruising her face and causing her to become so hysterical that the neighbors called later to ascertain the cause of the disturbance. According to the complaint, Gould had contributed nothing toward the support of his wife since last April.

The couple were married January 16, 1918, in Manhattan, Kan., and parted October 14, last, it was stated.

'ROUND WORLD TOURS SOLD

Ten Los Angeles residents bought tickets around the world last week on the new Dollar Line service which starts on the 26th inst., the D. F. Robertson Travel Bureau announced yesterday. The line has seven new steamers purchased from the United States Shipping Board, which will sail fortnightly from Los Angeles, proceeding to Honolulu, Japan, China, the Philippines, Ceylon, Egypt, Italy and France, returning to Los Angeles by way of New York and Panama.

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MILWAUKEE'S FAME

A member of the British peerage who has just died was born in Milwaukee. Thought it was the beerage that made Milwaukee famous.

A HORSE APIECE

A man's reputation for sound judgment is often wrecked beyond redemption when he comes to pick out a wife. By the way, this is a proposition that works both ways.

GOING TO WAIST

The preacher who says that the way women now dress a man cannot tell whether he is embracing a girl's neck or her waist doesn't know what he is talking about. This is one of those things a guy can tell in the dark—not that it makes very much difference.

MAKING FACES

The International Clinic for Plastic Surgery is knocking the beauty shops and face specialists, but the ladies will visit the beautifiers just the same. It is hard to make a lady believe that anything which will improve her cheeks or complexion can be of any harm.

THE NEW UNIFORM

Once more the city has not only been measured for a new charter, but the garment has been cut and fitted. Now it remains to be seen whether the city will wear the new raiment or not. There is a lure and freedom about old clothes that sometimes overmount the glory of a new gown.

NEW UNIFORMS

Peace lovers will be glad to read that the United States Army is to return to the prewar uniforms, discarding khaki for natty blue uniforms, each one tailored to measure and adorned with brass buttons. This indicates that our government doesn't expect its soldiers to make war on anything except feminine hearts for a generation or so at least.

ROOM FOR ARGUMENT

It is hard to convince William Jennings Bryan that there is any basis at all for the theory of evolution and he declares that even the proofs submitted by geology mean nothing to him. He "stands by the Rock of Ages and lets who will quibble over the age of rocks." This has a fine sound except for the fact that the venerable boy orator will do nothing of the kind. He chooses to quarrel and dispute with those who consider the testimony of rocks as good evidence or who fix belief in the principles of evolution. He is far from being as complaisant and amiable in argument as he would fain represent himself.

PINCHOT IN PENNSYLVANIA

Gov. Pinchot may be doing a wonderful work in enforcing the Volstead Act in Pennsylvania, but there is still much to be done. Telegraphic advices report a big business in Philadelphia in a fiery beverage that is compiled from coal tar, denatured alcohol, rosin and creosote. This has sent as high as eight wastrels to the morgue on a single day, but is still thoroughly popular in sporting circles. In Pittsburg a leading bootlegger tells the world that the local union of bootleggers has collapsed. There are so many of them that they have to wear badges to keep from selling their stuff to one another. He says that there are over 600 men peddling hooch in the downtown district of the smoky city and the competition is so acute that moonshine nine days old can be had for the trifling figure of $3 a quart.

A CANNY SCOTT

Scotia has long been known as the home of the thrifty as well as the brave. Charles Younger, a brawny Scotsman of San Francisco, only recently arrived from the old country, demonstrated anew that the canny folk of his country could give the president of the Thrift Society some pointers on how to save a bit of money.

Mr. Younger was the proud possessor of a "gude pair of brogues" that had done yeoman service for their owner. He had purchased them in the homeland two years before and it was his firm intent to get a few more years of service out of them. He also possessed another pair of shoes that he had purchased in a fit of extravagance, so he left the aforementioned brogues behind him at the Mission Y.M.C.A. one day when he sallied forth to work.

The janitor of the building cast an incredulous eye over the Scot's shoes and, true to his American training, decided that they were ready for retirement from active service. He gave them to the garbage man and when the outraged Mr. Younger discovered that his brogues were gone forever he promptly rushed into court with a suit for $15 against the Y.M.C.A.

Judge Barnett decided that the improvident janitor and not the Y.M.C.A. was responsible for the loss of the shoes. So Mr. Younger has filed suit asking a judgment against that thriftless individual, who in the future will probably think twice before he consigns portions of a Scotsman's wardrobe to the garbage can.

DECADENT BRITISH LABOR UNIONS

Despite the gain in membership of the British Labor party in the recent Parliament elections, the trade-union movement in Great Britain has become a retrograde movement. In other words, the British trade unions, like the American labor unions, are slowly but surely losing their grip on the working classes.

At the last Trade-Union Congress in England the report on membership created something of a sensation. It was about as encouraging to the trade-unionists as the report on membership at the annual convention of the American Federation of Labor.

According to the secretary's report, the membership in the British unions was 2,300,000 in 1913. In 1921 it had increased to 6,400,000. Last year it had fallen to 5,100,000; and this year's report showed a membership of but 4,369,000. During the last year three old members dropped out for every new member secured.

That loss of 1,000,000 members a year is very distressing to the British trade unions. For three months before the annual meeting their leaders had conducted a nation-wide "back-to-the-unions" campaign. But this drive netted less than 1000 new members.

Various explanations and excuses for this loss of membership were offered by the union-labor leaders. But they could not explain away the fact that the membership in the unions was steadily decreasing, that old members were dropping out at an alarming rate and but few new members were being secured.

Representatives of the right wing—the Conservatives—spoke very plainly in regard to the decadent condition of the union-labor movement. They said men are leaving the unions in shoals because the unions were involved in a movement to overthrow the Parliamentary system of government in Great Britain and set up a Bolshevist dictatorship. They said they were loyal Britons and did not care to take part in any revolution having for its aim the destruction of the empire.

The situation is apparently analogous to that of the labor-union movement in our own country. The trade unions were originally organized for purely industrial ends, to provide more employment and to improve the condition of the workers. Then came the plan of calling strikes to force employers to make certain concessions. The result of this movement was to decrease employment. Men were compelled to be idle when wives and children were dependent on the pay envelopes for bread.

As though this were not enough, the labor-union leaders, avid for power, began to dabble in politics. They sought dictatorship, to be exercised by the labor unions. The rapid loss in membership has convinced the thinking members that such policies can lead only to total annihilation of the labor unions. And the better element in the unions is seeking to get out of politics, as labor unions, and to devote their aims solely to improving the condition of the workers.

The Labor party increases its membership in Parliament in proportion as it gets away from the purely labor-union ideas. In the last election its platform, with the exception of the capital levy plank, verged on the conservative. Macdonald and the other party leaders were as vigorous in their denunciation of Communism and Bolshevism as the Conservative leaders themselves. The Labor party is growing in numbers because it is repudiating the radical union-labor idea and is becoming representative of the working classes as a whole. The labor-union movement is losing ground because it preaches disloyalty and its economics are fundamentally unsound.

MUSSOLINI'S REVENGE

No less a person than Benito Mussolini, the grim dictator of Italy, has provided fresh material for the shop-worn mother-in-law joke. Recently the Italian Parliament passed a law permitting the issuing of passes to all railway workers, their "wives, brothers, sisters, children and parents of wives." It is reported that the famous Premier had a fine fit of temperament when he read the act and returned it to the Parliament amended to read "wives, brothers, sisters, children and parents of legislators, but not of their wives."

The famous Fascisti leader is imbued with a hate for all mothers-in-law in general, and his own in particular. Years before in Corsica he fell in love with a beautiful young girl. The future conservative at that time was a particularly rabid revolutionist, as so many conservatives are in their "flaming youth." It seems to be quite the natural and logical thing to evolute from a young firebrand into a staid Tory.

The girl's mother did not yearn to have a revolutionist in the family and it is stated that she administered a sound beating to him with a broom. He married the girl, anyway, and years afterward all mothers of daughters in Italy had to pay for her rashness in beating up a future political light by having free tickets denied them. From which one can realize what an awful thing is Latin vengeance.

PRIVATE VS. COMMUNITY INTERESTS

The best way to make a suitable connection between the two sections of the projected Broadway-to-the-Sea boulevard—which is disjointed at One Hundred and Twentieth street—raises the all-important question: In city planning are the interests of private property owners to be considered above the interests of the community as a whole?

If they are, then we shall be compelled to repeat in the future the mistakes that have handicapped us in the past and so duplicate in sections now filling up the congestion of our downtown district.

The projected boulevard will be one of our main traffic arteries to the south. It has been laid out by the Regional Planning Commission. At One Hundred and Twentieth street it must be interrupted by an unsightly and dangerous jog unless a diagonal connection between Moneta and Figueroa can be made across a piece of private property fronting on One Hundred and Twentieth street. Naturally the Planning Commission favors the latter alternative.

But the property in question is outside of the city limits and so comes under the jurisdiction of the Board of Supervisors. Two members of the board would cut only a thin slice off the property and employ One Hundred and Twentieth street for the connection, thus forming an S curve certain to cause endless traffic jams, if not to become an actual death trap. The reason assigned for this is that the real estate owner has already sold some of his lots and that it is set out that it would be an injustice to him to run a boulevard across his property.

The Planning Commission, however, holds that the diagonal cut would not diminish the value of the property and that, in any case, of course, the owner would receive adequate compensation. A part of these lots extends into the city limits, facing on Figueroa street, and the City Planning Commission has agreed to co-operate in any condemnation proceedings.

Under the circumstances The Times sees no sufficient reason for the objectionable S jog in a thoroughfare that is destined to become one of the busiest running out of Los Angeles. Yet, although the Regional Planning Commission and the Broadway-to-the-Sea interests have protested against the map as now drawn up, two members of the Board of Supervisors oppose any change in it, two are for the diagonal cut and the fifth member has not yet made up his mind.

The city itself has shown good faith and prevision in such matters. It has widened and developed streets and condemned private property where such action was necessary for the public welfare.

Because the improvement is outside the city limits its importance to the people in general is not the less diminished. No private interest will be allowed to suffer through this straightening of one of our leading boulevards. On the other hand, the insertion of a dangerous jog at this point, to satisfy an imaginary obligation, may result in much greater loss.

COLLEGE DAYS

Theoretically there is no such thing as the drinking of liquor at American colleges, but, according to surveys made at Harvard, Princeton and Yale, there is quite an indulgence in contraband stuff of the most virulent and objectionable kind. It is concededly difficult to obtain accurate data in relation to the drinking habits of the student of today, yet it is definitely understood that much liquor is being consumed in a secret and unwholesome way.

Before the arrival of the Eighteenth Amendment the universities and colleges appeared to have a code of their own in the matter of booze. No liquor was to be brought on the college premises and drunkenness was regarded as conduct unbecoming in a scholar and gentleman. One guilty of it lost caste with his fellows as well as being disciplined by the faculty. As a consequence college dissipation consisted in the occasional consumption of flagons of ale to celebrate some athletic victory or club election and it was all far removed from the dormitories. The American colleges were getting away from the openly convivial habits and indiscretions of the ancient or continental schools.

But what is happening now is viewed with apprehension. There are indications of an unholy zest in the acquisition of illegal stores and there are ugly tales of debauches in which large groups of students have been involved. There is also some evidence of increasing indulgence in narcotics. The excesses are a matter of wholesale secrecy, as it were. The young people are fracturing a bunch of the nation's laws and then assembling to gloat over it. The college spirit is being brought to abnormal proportions at the expense of the Volstead Act and it is a situation that must not endure.

THE BLACKBIRD

A colored student at New York University won the second award in the college poets' tourney in which over 700 entrants were listed. When he was in high school the same black bard won first prize in an award under the auspices of the Federation of Women's Clubs. The name of the ebon singer is Countee P. Cullen and he is the son of a colored preacher. Most of his work carries a genuine poetic ring to it.

The Rival Hat Boys

BY MORRIS

[Protected by George Matthew Adams]

AFRICAN ATROCITIES

The harsh treatment accorded the negro in America has long been a cause for biting criticism in Europe. The increasing troubles Great Britain is having with her African colonials, as a result of their harshness toward the black natives, seem to prove that it is impossible for the white race to live side by side with the colored one without treating the latter with frightful injustice. At least in cases where the negro is in a position of economic servitude.

The latest case that has aroused public opinion in Great Britain concerns the killing of a native in Kenya Colony by a white farmer, under especially atrocious circumstances. The servant had disobeyed his master by riding a horse after he had been forbidden to do so and was flogged to death by the latter, with the assistance of other natives, who helped in the beating of their brother through fear. In the early part of June another native had been flogged to death in Rhodesia and the white murderer had been fined only £25 for "simple hurt."

Because of the extreme brutality of the second case, which also occurred in June, the culprit, Jasper Abraham, was sentenced to two years' imprisonment, this murder being designated as "grievous hurt." As it was shown during the course of the trial that the native in his agony had begged for some one to give him a knife that he might end his awful suffering the jury obligingly decided that the victim had deliberately willed to die to spite his employer. This meanness, combined with the fact that he had not eaten for ten hours preceding the killing, was held to be the cause of his death and the farmer was exonerated of the charge of homicide, although pressure from the Home Office led to his conviction on the ground of "grievous hurt."

The British government is considering having all cases of the murder of natives by whites transferred to London, far from the race prejudice prevailing in the African colonies that makes the obtaining of justice by a black man impossible.

IN OLDEN DAYS

Jehu was a mighty horseman and probably he didn't send much business to the local garage man, but at the same time it is a safe bet that he had the village blacksmith humping himself.

RIPPLING RHYMES

AT REST

Along the churchyard paths I walked,
as fell the eventide, and drearily the sexton talked of people who had died. "Here they repose in peace," quoth he, "beneath the quiet stars; and most of those whose graves you see were killed by motor cars. As stubborn as Missouri mules or Afric's crocodiles, they laughed to scorn the laws and rules and hit up sixty miles. And some of them would hog the road, a course that's sure to grieve; and then they came to this abode, whose tenants never leave. And some of them neglected brakes they knew were insecure and scorched serenely by the lakes and o'er the gloomy moor; and presently they hit a tree because they could not stop; and here they're sleeping, woe is me, with marble shafts on top. And some would talk while yet they drove, with those who rode behind; and by the mere and through the grove we saw them go it blind; though in the bylaws duly versed they gave such laws no thought; and then they were embalmed and hearsed and here by doomsmen brought." "Gramercy," said I, "ancient man, my feet are growing cold, for always, in my pink sedan, I've daring been and bold. But since your grisly tale I've heard I'll drive with ceaseless care; I see that recklessness absurd won't get me anywhere."

WALT MASON.

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PEN POINTS

By the Staff

With five States below the line revoluting, looks like old times in Mexico.

The Stokes case has finally been settled. Take off your gas masks everybody.

President Coolidge now has Congress on his hands, as did his predecessor, Grover Cleveland.

Former Gov. Cox says the Democrats will win in 1924. That means he is not going to be the candidate.

Of course, it is a great honor to lie in Westminster, but there are men who would rather lie in Congress.

The courts are after the cement trust and a dissolution has been ordered. Get out your picks and dynamite.

The up-to-date bride these days must not only be able to boil water, but to make a passable dose of angel food.

"Father and Son Week" is now proposed. We remember one gathering, but it was in a woodshed back in Ohio.

Sun Yat Sen and his army have been defeated again. But it seems almost as hard to keep him over the ropes as old Bill Bryan.

Why not amend the immigration laws so that any number of Englishmen who have no lectures concealed about their persons may be admitted without the formality of a count?

It is proposed to protect automobiles from the effects of a collision by running a steel rod completely around the machine. But why is not something done for the innocent passengers?

It is reported that there are more turkeys than prospective buyers in the coming Thanksgiving market. The fact is, the high prices asked for the birds in other years have weaned a lot of people away from the idea that the feast day cannot be properly celebrated without a steaming turkey being on the table.

Germany neglected the human equation when she asked Dr. Heinrich Friedrich Albert to act as Chancellor. He is particularly distasteful to the American people. He is the bird who was the associate of Papen and Boy-Ed, of the men who tried to destroy the Welland Canal, of the most obnoxious hyphenates who tried to distort the American view of the war.

THIS IS THE DAY

President Cleveland sent to Congress his famous message on the quarrel between Great Britain and Venezuela, which involved the Monroe Doctrine, in the year 1895. For a while the countries were on the brink of war, but eventually the matter was settled by arbitration.

Willard Wright of Dayton, O., made the first successful flight of an airplane carrying a man in the year 1903.

The House of Representatives by a vote of 242 to 128 adopted an amendment to the Constitution prohibiting the liquor traffic in the year 1917.

A MODERN PROPHET

BY DAVID STARR JORDAN

Will Irwin, one of the most-widely known Stanford graduates and most successful of war correspondents, because clear-eyed and sincere, has just published an epoch-making attack on the theory and practice of war.

WE MUST END WAR

"Christ or Mars" is an appeal to all God-fearing men and women to unite in the absolute "outlawry of war." War, whatever its purpose or justification, though ordered by state and blessed by church, is in all its details revolting and criminal — co-operative manslaughter, with no inherent virtue of any kind and incapable in itself of bringing about any worthy result. Has not the "war to the end" left Europe in worse state than ever before in civilized times, scattering its poisonous seeds far and wide over the continent?

The allied soldiers did their part nobly and are entitled to the laurels they won. They broke down a war organization and punctured a pasteboard Caesar, but theirs was only a beginning, which could at most open the door to peace—not establish it. For peace is never to be counted among "the fruits of victory." It rests with those who survive to bring peace, a fact accomplished only when, from the bottom of their souls, they want no more war. We must end war or it will end us. There is no future to a civilization whose intimate purpose is self-destruction.

HATE BREEDS WAR

As one who saw the World War in all its phases during four years along the battle front, Mr. Irwin earned the right and the duty to speak. He has, moreover, set forth the message of the "Prince of Peace" in language the "man on the street" cannot fail to understand. Before each member of a religious body of whatever character he places the uncompromising choice, Christ or Mars—Humanity or Hell. He calls on men to face the truth in regard to war, casting off all glamor of make-believe, all figments of spurious patriotism, all delusions of propaganda. "We are trying," he says, "to hide in squirrel holes from God, and the church which purports to interpret His intentions is hiding, too, along with publicans and sinners, priests and potentates."

Every chapter in this little book calls for serious thought and each is weighted with the strength of truth. Especially to be considered is the one on hate, the weapon most effective in war, the one most demoralizing to its users and the one hardest to lay down.

FALSE HEROICS

"Not one French or German soldier in a thousand," he says, "had any alternative but to fight for his country, except the disagreeable one of dying disgracefully before a firing squad. Nor with the intelligent volunteer was the act (of enlisting) quite so fine and high as with the volunteer of three centuries ago. The man of the twentieth century knows too much to be a perfect military hero. Though his country needs defending, he cannot, until boards of morale and agents of national propaganda have done their work with him, achieve perfect confidence that his side is exclusively and eternally in the right and that the enemy, whoever he may be, is an enemy of God and mankind. . . . As we approach perfect understanding, as link by link the truth strikes off the fetters of superstition and outworn usage, we revise our moral values. . . . Giving one's life for his country will constantly become less commendable; living one's life for his country more and more heroic. And, as the gold of moral grandeur evaporates from one tray of the scales, the dross of hate, malice and all uncharitableness piles up on the other. . . . The moral gain ended on the day of the armistice, while the hatred lives and breeds its own sinister, misshapen kind. The evil that is war lives after it, the good is oft interred with its bones."

THE POISON SPREADS

A chapter on "Keeping the Poison Active" shows the hideous results throughout civilization of teaching children to hate. No nation nor group of people is immune to this poison. We in America "have acquired no hereditary enemies. When the vague emotion (of impersonal hate) begins to disturb our bosoms we take it out on each other. A half-baked farmer boy listens to an orator who proclaims that all Jews are Shylocks and usurers, bound by gory oaths to destroy Christianity; all Catholics idol worshipers and subjects of a sinister foreign power; all new immigrants filthy scum; so he joins bizarre orders which ride by night that they may rescue America from her peril." . . . "Instead of treating the matter (of immigration) soberly, as I think we did once, we are melting into cauldrons of rage or freezing into icicles of cold national conceit."

IMMORAL ETHICS

Mr. Irwin shows that, although the United States, through its isolation, kept out of the crimes of European politics, "when the shoe pinched, when our larger interests became vitally involved, we showed no more national morality than the Europeans." We backed our leaders and egged them on. "The methods by which we got the Panama Canal Zone do not square with any system of personal morals above those of the cave man; and one of the best antidotes for American national conceit is to study the causes and preliminaries of the Mexican War."

Equally instructive, the reviewer may add, would be the study of the origin of the war with Spain and the frustrated second war with Mexico in 1916.

"All this in a period of peace. What, after that, could one expect when the peace broke into a desperate war of 40,000,000 men? Now nothing that was God's remained lovely and of good repute unless it served the purpose of Mars. 'I don't want soft sermons about love from you, sir,' said a colonel to his chaplain. 'Give these men the stuff

THANKS, FIDDLE!

By the Foothill Philosopher

Both his legs had been cut off to the knees, but that didn't seem to worry him any. It had been so long ago that he didn't remember whether it was a mine or a freight-car wheel that had done him." It didn't make a bit of difference, anyway, he said, he didn't need his legs. He had his fiddle. He had owned it since childhood and called it his "violoncello."

He sat under the awning of a hot-dog wagon at Ocean Park playing away on the crude instrument. He had a typical Grand Army of the Republic gusto on his face and he put it to advantage on the fiddle.

Half closing his eyes, he swayed to and fro, playing old tunes that seemed to hear in the hills of Tennessee "just twenty years ago." "Yankee Doodle," "Turkey in the Straw," "Pretty as a Red Bird," "Sourwood Mountain," "Cripple Creek," "Greenback," "Old Dan Tucker," "Dollar Bill," "Molly Darling" and other jigs came trooping in a regular procession from the fiddle strings.

It was as good as a trip to the old home, and it cost me a quarter. I was back among the poplars and sourwoods, I was smelling honeysuckles on the air. Again I took a swim in the old creek, went "possum hunting" by moonlight and stole watermelons from "Rich Jim's field." I went on to bosphinxed play-parties, perspired freely as I walked a furrow behind the mule, I went to "corn-shuckings" and "log-rollings" in the fall, drank cider and played "Weevily Wheat" on the handkerchief in the church on Sunday waited for the church, hoping to get a glimpse of the girl who does not know how much I cared.

It was as good as a trip to Tennessee. I felt like dancing every time he began to "toon" on that scratchy old fiddle. But I didn't. Possibly I didn't think me silly, or, worse still, some of them might even resent a show of gladness. What matter? I to be glad, much less to give expression to my joy, is not afflicted!

CATALECTIC ORTHODOXY

What does it take to make a man?
Or, be exact, a virtuous man?
A little of the best in him
Mixed with the average of sin?
Or is it worse?

For instance, see the [illegible] ads.
We'll take the Pioneer Boy
And write the current [illegible]
In rambling paragraphs.

"Will Bill Hickok's "gun"
"The Pioneer Trail" [illegible]
As a member of "The Anti-[illegible]trol"
He'll get "The Red Star"

While over in "Hide Park"
Are "Dancing Bear" [illegible]
"New Manner" who [illegible]
their catch
To market in "The Sun."

Who said they are "The Salt of the Sea"—
This tribe of "Bomb Proof" [illegible]
Who, grappled in "The Iron Bond,"
"The Age of Love" [illegible]

Beneath "The Crimson Stain"
What "Treaty of Love" [illegible]
be;
No one but "Weevily Wheat"
know
The sweetness of "Old [illegible]

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...that makes them hard-headed? . . . When personal morality became for any reason inconvenient it was morality, not morale, that went by the board. . . . 'God will forgive,' said some, but the most said 'What does it matter?' . . . If war so sweetened murder, why did it not sweeten lesser sins? The answer, tacitly accepted, was that it did. As the war dragged on into months, years, spiritual aeons, the civilian population seemed to borrow from the soldier this dual standard of morals. 'What did it matter, to us here as to them up there?' they would say, waving a hand toward the great line. Standards went down; the line ordinarily drawn between misconduct and good conduct became hazy. . . . Month on month I saw peoples in bulk losing their hold on ordinary truth, decency, chastity and common honesty." None the less Mr. Irwin recognizes "the deceptive fact that never did formal religion seem so vital as during the years between 1914 and 1918. The church was an anchor, a rock of safety in a great storm. . . . Yet strangely enough many who lived most strictly by each observance were in their daily lives most at variance with the canons of common morality. . . . Somehow the cord which bound faith with the conduct of life had snapped."

THE SUPREME TRAGEDY

No fragmentary quotation can do justice to the fine-spirited and consistent morality and the politic sagacity of this really great book. The financial loss, the moral loss, the human loss and the last cost of war, the destruction, unborn, of the great widening wedge of those who should be descendants of the "best of us" are all fully and feelingly treated.

As to the last-named element personified by Mr. Irwin as the "Unknown Soldier," he says: "The cross bears his regiment, the date he fell, his name. But he is nevertheless eternally unknown. . . . He, the master genius unknown who died before his work had begun—he is perhaps the supreme tragedy of it all."

"Christ or Mars," by Will Irwin, author of "The Next War," "The Latin at War," "A Reporter at Armageddon," etc. D. Appleton & Co., New York.

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Or, be exact, a rhyming verse
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Mixed with the average and the worse?

For instance, note the "Want" ads,
We'll take the Feature Page
And write the current items out
In rambling paraphrase.

"Will Bill Hickok's" "Going Up
"The Pioneer Trails" once more
As a member of "The Range
trot"
He'll get "The Bad Man" shot

While over in "Split Curse" the
Are "Unseeing Eyes" that grow
"New Mammas" who have lost
their catch
To market in "Six Days."

Who said they are "The Weaker
Sex"—
This tribe of "Foolish Wives"
Who, grappled in "The Marriage
Bond,"
"The Age of Love" survives.

Beneath "The Covered Wagon"
What "Dreams of Love" may
be;
No one but "Binky" for
know
The sweetheart of "Sweet."

"Why Worry" when you're
an Proof
You'll have no cause to do
About that "One Exciting Night"
You spent with "Adam and

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Complete Furnishers *of* Successful Homes

BROADWAY, BETWEEN SEVENTH AND EIGHTH

Everything at Barker Bros. a Worthy Christmas Gift

Gifts in tens of thousands await you in this great Christmas Store --- tempt you with beauty---intrigue you through comfort---through usefulness---ready to prove to you that there cannot be a single Christmas gift need but that may be filled right within these walls. Join the throngs of enthusiastic shoppers---benefit with them by the value --- the service that Barker Bros. are in a position to offer.

For the Dining Room

Tea Wagon $24.50

Breakfast in bed is doubly interesting when one's home boasts a tea wagon such as this! A tremendous value, too, since Barker Bros.' price has been brought to the lowest level. Mahogany and hardwood, as sketched, at the very special Christmas marking, $24.50.

Tea Wagon $35.00

Tea in the living room or patio becomes a more attractive procedure with a tea wagon—this particular one in mahogany and hardwood especially efficient with removable tray, drop handle and shelf. Splendid value, $35.00.

This Tea Wagon $48.00

Surely designed as an aid at luncheon and dinner—with the two convenient shelves and drop leaves. This is genuine mahogany—especially graceful of design, the Tudor wax finish adding to its richness. Another of the great list of types.

Dinner Chimes $8 to $75

Dinner is most attractively announced in the home with a sweet-toned chime—such as any one of the great Christmas array that Barker Bros. now present. From table type to wonderful cathedral chimes—a size and kind foreveryone.

Gifts that Women Most Appreciate

—Linen Luncheon Sets, in charming designs $4.95 up
—Bath Sets, interesting colorings $4.75 to $8.50
—Bedspread Sets, wide variety, begin at $5.95
—Wool Blankets, a practical gift, from $9.75 to $45
—Refrectory Sets, new and pleasing, at $8 and $9
—Tea Sets, a wonderful variety, prices $15 to $75
—Flower Bowls, exquisite colorings $1.25 to $33
—Electric Percolators at prices from $9.50 up
—Coffee Percolator Sets, wonderful gifts, $23.50
—Pillows, of every type and shape, $3.50 to $75
—Silver Plated Water Pitchers priced at $10.00
—Dinner Sets, newest patterns, $9.00 to $100.00
—Electric Sewing Machine, desk model, $64.00
—Electric Fireless Cooker, low priced $49.75
—Italian Trinket Boxes, dainty, at $2.25 to $10.00
—Stand Picture Frames, wide variety, $1.95
—Desk Sets, many types, lovely colors, begin $10.00
—Framed Pictures, all types and sizes, 45c to $35.00

For the Living Room

Spinet Desk is $45.00

A happily personal gift—one entirely essential to the proper and complete furnishing of any living room! In addition to being a delight both to receive and give at Christmas time—this particular spinet desk has the distinction of extraordinary value—being genuine mahogany—36 inch size—and only $45.00.

Wing Chair is $19.75

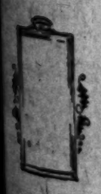
A gift chair must be a versatile chair—one that fits in with other furnishings! No nobler example of this very thing could be found than this mahogany and cane type—graceful of design—comfortable—and notably low priced.

Smoking Stand, $2.25

Smoking stands to the right of us—smoking stands to the left of us—and from the overwhelming variety of kinds and finishes we choose to talk about this wonderfully value-ful stand at $2.25. Mahogany finish—as sketched.

Iron Coffee Table, $35

A coffee table in itself strikes a refreshingly new note—and a wrought iron coffee table with glass top, such as here shown is a perfect boon to the gift seeker demanding something entirely different. Gay flower center takes its place below the glass.



Console Mirror, $9.75

The beauty of a room is twice told when there is a mirror to reflect its charm! How many homes there are that need a mirror—and how eagerly these will be chosen at the unusually low Christmas price that Barker Bros. are featuring. Gold toned frame—size 12x22, $9.75.

Sewing Cabinet, $23.50

"A place for everything"—in this graceful, compact Martha Washington sewing cabinet—which takes precedence over all other styles in this industry. This one especially distinguished here is genuine mahogany—at a price much lower than they are most often featured, $23.50.

For the Bed Room

Chest of Drawers, $35

At last! Drawers enough for everything—and all one's own. That is what this gift will mean—and so many are being chosen for Christmas giving. This type in mahogany finish, six drawers as sketched, $35.00.

Four Poster Bed, $57.50

Is there anything so appealing as this impressive type handed down by our forefathers? The large, tall posts in this bed particularly interesting. Choice of either mahogany or walnut finish—at a price that is easily afforded.

Semi-Vanity only $60.00

With the grace of a vanity—the size of a dressing table there is every reason why this particular piece should win a woman's favor—and it has. Ivory enamel or walnut, with the cane insertions—a very excellently constructed piece.

Writing Table is $97.50

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Film Luminaries to Vie in Fun-Fest for Junior Club

Baby Peggy, photo above, is going to listen to Walter Hiers, Lasky's funny man, also above, tell Eileen Sedgwick, Carmel Myers and Bill Desmond, the other three, what he thinks of Aunt Dolly's Christmas Jubilee of Joy for Los Angeles kiddies at Knights of Columbus Hall, 612 South Flower street, next Saturday. Are you coming?

"TIMES" JUBILEE SATURDAY

Aunt Dolly's Christmas Festival Attracting Thousands of Los Angeles Children

This day next week some Los Angeles kiddie who's a member of the Times Junior Club is going to be richer by a $50 bill. And all he or she is going to do to get it is to dip his or her hand into a barrel and pick it out. Easy, isn't it?

This is just one of the stunts to be pulled off at Aunt Dolly's topsy-turvy Christmas jubilee of joy for the club members at Knights of Columbus Hall next Saturday. And to that jubilee every one in the city from 4 to 22 years of age is invited; it's going to be the greatest event ever staged by The Times as an organization.

The $50 bill is going to be wrapped around one of the 20,000 toys purchased for the club members. Each toy is to be wrapped separately. And they will be packed into huge barrels—barrels which will be placed in line where every guest at the giant entertainment will have an opportunity to "grab" one of the packages. In addition to the toys there will be candy and cookies and fruit punch and good things galore.

BUTTON ADMISSION

The only ticket of admission is the big red button of membership to The Times Junior Club. That button can be procured free by writing to Aunt Dolly, care of The Times, or by coming to The Times office for it. In the past three days more than 1000 names have been added to the 24,000 membership of the club, and Master James Osborne, president, believes the total should run to 50,000 before Santa Claus dances out under the great, glittering Christmas tree hung topsy-turvy from the ceiling for the kiddies to dance around.

Yesterday—even though it was Sunday—brought more and more numbers to the program of the seven-hour vaudeville show which will be one of the features, and more and more names joined the long list of movie stars who have promised to be present that the children may meet and shake hands with their heroes and heroines of the screen.

SECRETS HINTED

One of the new performers who will cater to the children from the big stage next Saturday afternoon will be Alta Hill, one of the best-known child impersonators in the country, who has gained fame in singing children's songs for the Edison Phonograph Company. She will have a piano monologue in costume.

And here's another secret—two dressmakers are working on the costume which Otis Harlan—you know him—is going to wear as Santa Claus. Never will buskin be as glorious red or whiskers as silken white as when that jolly harbinger of good cheer bobs from behind the scenes to give a rousing finale to an afternoon of laughter.

DOLL BLINKS

Last night we were permitted to take just one peep—just one, mind you—of a grown-up Aunt Dolly doll—a real live one. Twinkling eyes and crimson cheeks beneath a little poke bonnet of sheerest blue and a mass of fluffy ruffles that sticks out in all directions—that's an Aunt Dolly doll.

And Mlle. Mercedes, nationally known dancer who glories in the cognomen of "The Blue Streak of Chicago," is going to bring Aunt Dolly's doll to Aunt Dolly's proteges amid a setting of thousands of dollars of toyland's best productions which have been gathered through the courtesy of the Broadway Department Store.

BABY PEGGY PRESENT

Baby Peggy, internationally known child star whose screen antics have brought roars of laughter from grown-ups and children alike, and who is the official hostess at the Times party, got a new idea yesterday. She is going to give an autographed photograph of herself to every club member who asks her for one. And when we saw her yesterday she had fmk all over her fingers and a tiny smudge of it on her nose and she had already signed up a monstrous pile of them.

The fifty or more pupils of the Egan School of Dancing who are scheduled to appear in more than a score of offerings were resting yesterday after three days of hard rehearsal. But they were all enthusiastic and all promised to do their best that there might be no hiatus in the hours of joy.

SPORT TO ABOUND

Still another recruit to Santa Claus's army on this occasion comes in the person of Benjamin D. Sharpe, movie character actor, who is going to be a regular circus clown all the afternoon. He'll crack jokes and dance and sing and maybe—maybe—he'll kiss Jiggs, Universal's trained chimpanzee, who already has announced his intention of climbing all over the Christmas tree.

And now let us repeat the "skeleton" story: The place is the Knights of Columbus Hall, 612 South Flower street; the time is next Saturday, December 22, the doors opening at 11:30 in the morning and closing at 6 o'clock in the evening for the younger members and opening at 8 and closing at midnight for the boys and girls of high school age. The night entertainment is different from that of the afternoon; the feature number of which Blanche Sweet will be one of the judges.

EVERYONE WELCOME

The badge of admission is the big red membership button of The Times Junior Club; there will be no tickets and the buttons are free for the asking. All the present members of the club are invited and every other child or young person between the ages of 4 and 22 years are eligible for membership.

Mothers and fathers, sisters and brothers or guardians are welcome to accompany the children, but the best of protection will be accorded kiddies coming without escort. There will be plenty of policemen present; a large force of Times employees will be on hand to escort them to and from the street cars; every element of safety, in fact, is being provided.

CANDY READY

There will be tons of candy, thousands of cookies and hundreds of gallons of fruit punch for refreshments—and there will be a toy for every child who comes.

As the days go by the giant program will have numerous additions; and more and more movie stars are expected to announce their intention of coming. And there'll be a story about the progress of the details in The Times every day—watch for it.

Disposition of Mrs. Hughes's Body Unknown

Maj. Rupert Hughes received no word yesterday from China concerning the disposition of the body of his wife, Adelaide Hughes, who killed herself last week at Haipong. He is expecting a cable answering his request for permission to remove it to this country.

The French authorities in charge at Haipong may make difficulties about the removal, it is feared.

CAMPAIGN FOR NEEDY CONTINUED

Salvation Army Ready for Final Drive to Get Funds for Christmas

Plans for the second week of the 1923 drive for funds for the Salvation Army Christmas relief work will be completed this morning at the campaign headquarters in the Angelus Hotel by members of the executive committee of the women's advisory board of the organization, who include Mrs. Roy Jones, Mrs. Henry Lissner, Mrs. A. B. Barret, Mrs. J. W. Montgomery and Mrs. Abraham Lahr.

Brig. C. R. Boyd, divisional commander of the Salvation Army for Southern California, stated last night this committee, co-operating with a large force of volunteer workers from various women's clubs, will continue the drive for funds until the close of the campaign in hotels, banks and theaters in the downtown business district and Hollywood.

The canvass in the hotels by the women workers is being conducted under the direction of Mrs. Malcolm Skinner, Mrs. Lillian Morgan and Mrs. L. Guernsey. This committee yesterday issued another appeal for more volunteers to help make the drive the most successful in the history of the Army in Los Angeles.

Salvationists, under Brig Boyd, will devote their time this week to the completion of plans for the distribution of Christmas baskets and to furnish medical aid and other assistance needed during the Yuletide season among poor and sick families.

"Since the Salvation Army began its activities in this city many years ago there never was greater need for a generous response to our appeal for funds for Christmas relief," said Brig. Boyd yesterday. "We shall make every possible effort to reach every family in distress this year."

PIONEER WOMAN DIES

Death of Mrs. Bina Allyn Ends Long Married Life

Mrs. Bina Joyce Allyn, 79 years of age, wife of Calvin E. Allyn, Civil War veteran, and resident of California for thirty-five years, died at the family home, 2683 Moss avenue, yesterday morning. Mrs. Allyn was a member of the Women's Relief Corps and the Eastern Star.

Sixty-two years of married life was ended by Mrs. Allyn's death. The couple were married in Wellington, O., when Mrs. Allyn was 17 years of age, and her husband 19.

Besides the husband, two daughters, Mrs. Gertrude Allyn Long and Mrs. Ruth Allyn Donnell of Los Angeles, survive. Funeral services will be conducted Wednesday at 10 a.m. from the chapel of W. A. Brown, at 1335 South Flower street.

FINISHING TOUCHES

Hollywood players are putting the finishing touches on "Lonesome Honeymoon," a sprightly musical comedy which they will present at Gamut Club Theater the 19th and 20th insts. Hazel Madelin Lindoft is the author, and she is co-operating with Al McKinnon in the direction.

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Psychological Story Holding Clune Screen

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Intriguing as the theme could be made to appear, there is also great danger of falling to the level of mediocrity. Obviously the subject is one which can hardly stand alone unless done with the inspired hand of a master. The usual method of putting over in the box office a story that otherwise would be too heavy for steady consumption is to introduce a love theme. The romantic complex in our natures, seemingly, is never satisfied.

Here it is then that Dixon has stumbled. The romance, none too novel or original, submerges the real theme in a sea of conventional sweetness. It's the old tale of the eternal triangle, of which there are only about three variations. And, as you might expect, it ends happily, with the third corner of the triangle expiring very accomodatingly just before the fade-out. In fact, if you aren't careful or inquisitive, you'll have a hard time deciding just what the "Mark of the Beast" is, for it is not in evidence.

Robert Ellis, as the psychological student of the well-known "beast" theory. He gives one of his best exacting performances. Clare Eames plays opposite Warner Richmond as Ware in the chief role.

Putting a gripping story on the screen is one common desire of all producers, and one of his best efforts are one or two scenes in this fine picture. The laughs are distributed with a slap-stick subtlety and never

"VIRGINIAN" PLAYED AT MISSION PLAYHOUSE

In filming "The Virginian," which starts its second week at the Mission today, the producers and director of the play have made a production that will thrill audiences that have followed the story up to the point where the Virginian and Trampas fight their duel to the death.

Kenneth Harlan plays the role with Florence Vidor as the feminine lead and Russell Simpson appears as Uncle Hughie Hatton. The Virginian's horse and other properties are Mack Sennett's "picked" animals. The Virginian's horse, Monte, is the smartest animal actor for the screen in the country.

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Putting a gritty subject on the screen is the one Goldwyn does in "The Gold one of his latest productions are one or two small in this fun film, but the laughs are derived from and never found

"VIRGINIAN" PLEASES MISSION AUDIENCE

In filming "The Virginian," which starts its second week at the Mission today, B. P. Schulberg, producer, and Director Sam man have made a fine picture. audiences that great it thralled as scene after scene folded leading up to the where the Virginian and fight, their famous duel to death. Kenneth Harlan plays the role with Florence Vidor as feminine lead and Russell son appears as Trampas. Ernest Hatton, Pat O'Malley, and other principals are in the Mack Sennett comedy "Picking Peaches" starring Langdon and the Sennett bathing girls are featured smashing all bathing records after for the entertainment of those in the audience.

Spitzenberg is one of the best of the week's releases of the year by Metro-Goldwyn. No gorilla has ever been seen in the wild state, nor has any investigator ever

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"ZANDER" AMUSING

CLEVER PRODUCTION HAS BRILLIANT OPENING

By Edwin Schallert

The audience is again requested not to divulge the secret at the end of the play, but don't think that on this account "Zander the Great" is a mystery show. The name may sound like it, but the truth of the matter is that this attraction at the Mason is a very delightful and amusing comedy with a melodramatic complex that will keep you interested to the very last scene.

"Zander the Great" had its first presentation Saturday evening, and the audience was all that the producers could wish for. Nearly every box in the theater offered at least one celebrity of the theatrical world to view. The one occupied by Pauline Frederick and Clara Kimball Young was as much of an attraction almost as the play itself, with the interest veering and centering from time to time to another where Bebe Daniels was to be seen.

To an extent "Zander the Great" is a Coast production. It has played in New York, but members of the present cast were assembled here. The featured actress was Lillian Albertson, who was with the Belasco Stock Company some years ago, but who has subsequently spent most of her time in the East. The names of Taylor Graves, Richard Travers and others associated with the screen were prominent in the supporting cast.

Considerable has been said, I believe, about the fact that the plot of "Zander" deals with bootlegging in Arizona. You do not, however, see any of the actual operations, but merely hear about them, and they provide the background of the story, which is concerned with the reform of a group of outlaws somewhere in Cochise county. The child, Zander, plus his guardian, Mamie, are the chief refining influences in the post-Volstead liquor reform.

The interest in the play is not the sort that may be analyzed in a few words or phrases, for the best part of it is its humanness. This isn't humanness that is free from hokum by any means, but the tricks are well concealed beneath bright dialogue and the final denouement is really a prize.

Some of the celver sallies of the rancher Good News remind a little of the invalid uncle's bright remarks in "The Bad Man." There is a certain vague resemblance as to locale and atmosphere of the play, though there is nothing of the satirical intent of the Blinn comedy melodrama.

"Zander the Great" is free and straightaway. You know just about what its romance is going to be from the first time that the boss of the bootleggers comes into the ranch house and finds Mamie and her young ward there. You feel some certainty as to how it will turn out, and there are certain unexpected developments in the situations, but best of all are the lines. They have the knock-out quality at times for which Selsbury Field, I believe, the author, is somewhat noted.

The playing was a little slow the opening night, but it was not difficult to decide the honors of the premiere. Miss Albertson deserves no end of credit for the way she submerged herself in her character. It was well drawn both in talk and gesture.

Zella Covington captured the majority of the laughs with his portrayal of Good News, but toward the end Earle Metcalfe as Texas came mighty near taking the lion's share of the laurels.

Richard Travers still has some distance to go to make his role absolutely convincing. He seems to match the requirements rather satisfactorily as to appearance.

Taylor Graves afforded some special pleasures in his portrayal of the sap. Harry Willard had not much to do but did that well.

The real human interest of the show was the youngster Dicky Brandon, who left little doubt as to his naturalness in the title character in an entertaining show.

VIVID HUMAN FILM AT MET

Even a few flaws may be overlooked for the sake of sentiment and humanness that are real, and for this reason you will make no mistake to visit Grauman's Metropolitan this week. "West of the Water Tower" is showing there and it is one of the most fascinating and sincerely heart-appealing pictures of the year.

Young love as a rule does not interest me on the screen. I prefer the evidences of a mightier, maturer force, but here is a case where sentiment is thrown into alluring relief against a commonplace background.

This is the story, you know, of a small town, and of the minister in a small town, and of his son; and of the atheist in the town and the daughter of the atheist. Whether the original theme of the novel by Homer Croy has been preserved intact I do not know. There are lapses that suggest an adaptation to what are known as the requirements of the cinema. These are not great or large, because after all you have a theme that is deep, and a thought that is fine, and the inspiration is for more generous understanding.

What captivates about the treatment is the way in which the love that grows between the girl and the youth is conveyed with all its poignancy and sorrow. You do not feel as if you are watching actors play their parts, but actually live through the whole sympathetic sequence with the youthful pair. There is naught of recrimination or bitter regret; the heroine does not become an outcast because of her supposed sin; there is no condoning of fault or deceit or weakness. Each episode carries a sustained naturalness that makes you feel the pulse of what goes on before your eyes.

Of course, the trick of the marriage is not convincing. You do not quite feel, either, much as you would like to, that you can believe the hero recovered the esteem of his fellow citizens through his ability for making speeches. Nor can you quite accept the theatrical bitterness of certain of the scenes between the father and the son.

All of these things take something from the picture, but they do not hurt nor harm its fundamental appeal. That comes from the depths of the heart and overrides mental barriers going back again to the heart of the onlooker.

I do not want to indulge in any trite praise of the players, because theirs is a remarkable victory in this production. They have maintained a splendid reserve of feeling throughout the picture, with Rollin Sturgeon their directorial guide.

Glenn Hunter, in particular, gains a new interest for us because of the fine depth of his portrayal, while May McAvoy has attained her peak here in splendidly repressed emotion.

Ernest Torrence dominates many a scene with his personality, while George Fawcett has given a sturdy, strong portrayal.

Za Zu Pitts wins the laughs as the wallflower of the country town, while there is a chap playing a tramp who sustains many amusing, if dragged-in-the-heels bits of comedy.

Mr. Sturgeon has really built up a very worth-while achievement in "West of the Water Tower," as have his players, and I feel that if you miss this picture you will miss seeing one of the best human adventures in many a day.

On the attendant program, the "Dance of the Hours," as produced by Oumansky, with the Ponchielli music, is one of the most attractive ballet numbers recently presented. George Dewey Washington again captures the audience with his singing. The orchestral selections are good.

New Lubitsch Picture Will Show in East

Jack L. Warner, who recently went to New York with Ernest Lubitsch—and a print of Lubitsch's "The Marriage Circle"—has returned to the Coast after a series of conferences with other members of the Warner organization relative to production plans for the coming season.

Announcement of new plays and books secured for screen purposes will be forthcoming within a few days—and at the same time production will start on the uncompleted portion of this year's schedule.

"The Marriage Circle," Lubitsch's first production for the Warners, will have its world's premiere in New York City. Eastern officials and those exhibitors who saw the film at a private preview were lavish in their praise of Lubitsch's treatment of the story.

The Strand Theater of New York booked it on sight for a two weeks' showing. This is one of the rare cases on record where the Strand has booked an attraction for two weeks.

BEBE DANIELS TO PLAY SANTA CLAUS

Bebe Daniels has consented to act as Santa Claus to 2000 orphan children at Grauman's Metropolitan Theater next Monday morning and present to them through the courtesy of Paulais, local confectioners, seventy-five gallons of ice cream.

This is to take place during the annual Christmas entertainment given every year to the tiny waifs by Sid Grauman. Saul Magnus and Henry G. Mosler, of Paulais will then be represented by Miss Daniels who will go to the children's hospital and orphan asylums to entertain the children who were unable to attend the Metropolitan party. A special gift of candy that is said to be one of the greatest Christmas surprises the kiddies have ever known will also be made by the sweet shop.

"UNKNOWN PURPLE" MYSTIFYING FANS

Roland West's success, "The Unknown Purple," is playing at the Alhambra Theater to mystified audiences. This screen production of the stage play is one of the outstanding mystery drama hits of the year. Henry B. Walthal plays one of the most intriguing characterizations of his career. He is supported by Alice Lake, Helen Ferguson, Stuart Holmes, James Morrison, Ethel Grey Terry, and others of equal note.

MYSTERY COMEDY CONTINUES

Yesterday marked the beginning of the third week of "The Lady Killer" at the Morosco. This mystery comedy-drama from the pens of Alice and Frank Mandel seems to be of unusual interest to Los Angeles theatergoers. Harland Tucker, Gayne Whitman, Charlotte Treadway, Joseph Eggenton, Arthur MacDonald, Arthur Clare, Fanny Yantis, Jessie Arnold, Dorothy Eggenton, James Donlan, Jane Morgan and others appear in the cast.

IN FIFTH WEEK

Attesting to its popular appeal, Mary Pickford's "Rosita" enters its fifth week today at Grauman's Million Dollar Theater. Heading the supporting cast are Holbrook Blinn, Irene Rich, George Walsh, Charles Belcher and Mathilde Coment. The musical program and prologue are typical of the Spanish atmosphere of the feature picture.

Earliest records of the observance of Christmas show that some communities celebrated the festival on January 1 or 6, others on March 29, the time of the Jewish Passover, and still others on September 29, or Feast of Tabernacle.

The Trouble-Making Honeymooners

Lew Cody and Carmel Myers

They play a pair of marital adventurers in "Reno," the drama of divorce, at the California.

SEES SELF RISK LIFE FOR THRILL

Race Driver Witnesses Scenes of Accident Caught by Camera

To sit in a theater chair and see himself in an auto accident that almost cost him his life was the strange experience of Lou Wilson, racing driver, when he visited Universal City to see a specially arranged showing of Reginald Denny's new racing picture, "Sporting Youth."

Wilson furnished one of the big thrills—although unintentionally. One of the Denny cameras caught the accident in which his car crashed up the embankment, through a fence, and hurled him twenty feet into the air. Several bystanders were injured and one man lost his life in the accident, the most severe in the Big Del Monte road race. By a miracle Wilson escaped without permanent injury.

Sitting in the Universal City projection room, he saw himself in his car whirl around the curve, saw the machine skid, dash up the bank, and saw his own body, catapulted from the seat, go somersaulting through the air.

"Ouch!" yelled the racing driver.

Wilson says that after he was picked up unconscious the racing officials found his shoes in the car. Wedged in the brake and shift pedals, they caught, as the shock hurled him into the air, drawing his feet completely out of them. It was by accident that the cameras caught the accident, but it was retained in the picture, with Wilson's approval, as one of its most startling thrills.

Denny, star of the picture, was present at the showing, it being in celebration of his first visit to the studio since the auto accident which confined him to his bed for weeks. He is still in a plaster cast, but is allowed to be carried about. Among the racing drivers present as Denny's guests at the showing were Ralph De Palma, Tommy Milton, Jerry Wonderlich, Jimmy Murphy, Bennie Hill, Harry Hartz and others.

Harlan Back for Part in French Drama

Cameras will grind on the opening scenes of Gasnier's latest feature production, "Poisoned Paradise," with the arrival from the East on Monday of Kenneth Harlan, who will enact the leading male role.

Harlan's success in the chaps of the cow puncher in "The Virginian" will be followed by the role of the adventurous Englishman in the George W. Service novel.

Clara Bow, B. P. Schulberg's latest find, will be seen as the little French shop girl, who suddenly is enveloped in the meshes of a fascinating romance that leads from Paris to the gambling halls of Monte Carlo.

Carmel Myers was selected from a long list of feminine players for the trying role of the bewitching Mrs. Belmire.

Raymond Griffith will play the part of "The Rat."

George Beranger and Michael Varconi complete the list of principals who will be seen in the early phases of the picture, all of which is laid in the most colorful sections of Paris.

Waldemar Young, who recently completed the continuity for the Gasnier picture, will work with the director throughout its filming.

A street of luxurious buildings that will duplicate the exteriors of the most striking palaces in Monte Carlo is being erected on the Schulberg studio grounds for a series of exteriors for the picture.

SCRAMBLED DIVORCE LAWS STORY'S THEME

Forty-eight States have forty-eight sets of divorce laws. Men can marry 12-year-old girls in some States. Divorced men who remarry may be considered bigamists in another. There are tangles of law galore and Rupert Hughes uses them to tell the story of "Reno," which is in its second week at the California Theater.

The parts are played by some of screenland's most popular players, including Helene Chadwick, George Walsh, Lew Cody, Carmel Myers, Dale Fuller and Hedda Hopper.

An added attraction is the appearance of the Loomis twins, Maxine and Virginia, in a special song review in which they sing their own versions of "Running Wild" and "Gallagher and Shean."

An instrument called the thermocouple, is so sensitive to changes in temperature that its inventor claims that the presence of an iceberg can be located at distance of ten miles.

FLASHES

TAKES NEW TACK

SCHERTZINGER STRIVES FOR NOVELTY IN STORY

By Grace Kingsley

They've stopped persecuting the heroine, and are after the poor hero now. Percy Marmont certainly started something when he made the whole world sit up and take notice of him in "If Winter Comes." I don't suppose Percy will ever have another easy film moment as long as he lives. And producers are rushing in to make whole scenes of plays in which the poor hero suffers and suffers and suffers.

Percy is being hounded again in "The Man That Life Passed By," down at Loew's State. Victor Schertzinger wrote the story and directed it, and Winifred Dunn had a whack at the scenario.

Interest is scattered by having too many angles to the story. It doesn't, therefore, build up. It has its big poignant moment, or should have, but these are muffed, so that when the poor, persecuted hero is shot at last by an over-zealous servant in the house of the rich man who has robbed him of his inventions and ruined his wife, you think, "Well, probably it's just as well to have the poor devil put out of his misery!"

The story builds at the last for a happy ending—when plunk, the hero is killed, and you feel a sort of shock to your artistic, as well as sympathetic, sensibilities, but no real regret.

I think the hero character is basically wrong. Here is a young inventor with brains and character and determination enough to stick to an inventing job until he has made something revolutionary in the history of steel. But he hasn't brains enough to take it to a lawyer to see about it's patenting, but takes it instead to a rich man, notorious for his crooked business methods.

And, though still presumably full of character and brains, and though still full of youth, or at least no more than middle-aged, he drops all his inventions and goes to work in a slum dive.

All through he is shown muddle-headed, ignoble and irresolute. He doesn't even have to take to drink to get this result.

In "If Winter Comes," the hero at least is actuated by high resolves, over the head of the multitude; it is the world that is wrong, not the man.

But in this picture no such spirit actuates the hero. He isn't worth writing a story about. All of a sudden, too, plunk! the heroine is in love with him, hugging and kissing him, for no reason whatever, and without any previous planting of the growth of her love.

But at least here is a rugged attempt to get away from saccharinity, and to hit some of the pitiless verities of life. Here might, indeed, be said to be life with its inconsequence, only the trouble is life is not art. Life must be sifted through the imagination of the genius before it becomes art.

And Schertzinger wasn't quite sure enough of himself. He had to play down too often to the obvious, to sentimentality, even to comedy relief. And how can we ever forgive his making the flinty rich man reform?

I cannot quite believe but that his story was mangled somehow, maybe by the scenario writer. Next time, more freedom and better luck to him! I hope he will give us another one, with interest and drama more skillfully built.

But how can I thank him enough for giving us at least such real characters—aside from the hero! Everybody in the picture is a real individual, and keeps in character all the while. And everybody is human—nobody really entirely good, nobody entirely bad—just everybody muddling along in his own way, subject to his own limitations. Percy Marmont, of course, is magnificently natural with his subtlety, his vivid powers of drama.

Jane Novak has lately found a new, fine freedom. She has lost her selfconsciousness, is deeply appealing, poignantly sincere. She will be acclaimed one of the great ones ere long.

Sister Eva Novak, too, as the spoiled, impetuous daughter of the rich man, is excellent. Hobart Bosworth is very fine as the flinty-hearted millionaire, and the rest were all delightfully done.

"ST. ELMO" PLEASES CROWDS AT TALLY'S

If I had to see somebody play "St. Elmo," I'm glad it was Jack Gilbert! The old tale has been transferred to the screen, and is on view at Tally's Broadway.

"St. Elmo" is old-fashioned—so old-fashioned that it has a hero who works overtime hating womankind after he gets the sack, moodily wandering the earth, and saturninely taking a whack at everything good; so old-fashioned that it even has a blacksmith shop and a personal devil in it!

Heroes don't do as St. Elmo did nowadays. They get another girl, to take to golf, or join the Navy.

But this hero raves and stamps. He even watches night after night, nattily dressed, I must say, for the country, to see if Bessie Love isn't going to break her word about opening the little cage where his love letters are kept.

Gilbert has done better work than he does in this. He has been made to rave too much.

Bessie Love, God bless her, brings whatever of verity is brought to this old tale! She is endlessly appealing, intelligent, charming and real.

There doesn't seem any reason, particularly, why she should go away when she finds she loves the hero, who has told her he loves her and he is ready to be a good boy now and stop making scurrilous remarks about love, but of course, we used to write stories that way.

However, plop she comes back in a picture that in the last reel, though heaven only knows where she's been, as she had no home but the hero's mother's, and no job. But, pshaw, you forget all that when you see her look into the hero's eyes.

Barbara LaMarr, dog-gone-it, lasts barely a reel, she being the reason why St. Elmo soured on life and killed his former friend!

There is a travelogue showing the monasteries on the mountain tops of Meteora which is really intriguing, and there is also a Fox comedy called "The Riding Master," which is moderately hilarious.

Few, if any, Christmas carols were ever sung in Scotland, while from earliest times the custom has been universally prevalent in England, France, Italy and other countries of the European continent.

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Home Hints Entertainment

Of Interest to Women.

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SOCIETY

Cy Cora Young

Last night at their beautiful home in Shatto Place, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Modini Wood and their daughter, Miss Mona Wood, entertained with an informal musicale and supper party. This delightful affair was arranged to meet Mr. Maurice La Vove, the famous Russian baritone, and Mr. Frederick MacMurray, equally well known as a violoncellist.

Those asked to meet the distinguished guests were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth C. Beaton, Mrs. Mary Carewe, Mrs. Harmon Ryus, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Fitzgerald, Mrs. Gene Stratton Porter, Mrs. Idah Gibson, Mrs. Carrie Jacobs Bond, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Behymer, Mrs. Ella Clarkson, Miss Frances Kellogg, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Seiling, Capt., and Mrs. Richard P. Hobson, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Shepard, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Verbeck, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith, Mr. and Mrs. William Dodd, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Grumm, Mr. and Mrs. Burt Perks, Mr. Richard Wayne, Mr. Kenneth Gibson, Dr. Salvatore Monaco, Mr. Armand Monaco, Mr. Townsend Soper, Mr. Alfred Allen, Mr. Blake Smith and Mr. Perry Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. Wood with their daughter Miss Mona their son Mr. Perry Wood and his fiance, Mrs. Mary Carewe, and their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth C. Beaton, will spend the Christmas holidays at their Lake Arrowhead chateau where they are planning an old-fashioned Christmas party, which will include, beside the Christmas tree and the big open fires throughout the house, winter sports in the snow.

Formal Dinner

Mrs. J. C. Brown gave a handsomely appointed formal dinner party Friday evening at her home on Westlake avenue at Winfield street. There were twenty-eight guests including many old-time residents of this city. After the dinner there were several toasts, sparkling with wit, and a number of short addresses of interesting and thoughtful reminiscence. Later those who wished played bridge.

During the autumn and winter Mrs. Brown has been entertaining with a series of Sunday night supper parties and following the holidays she will continue these courtesies throughout the season.

Charming Entertainment

Mrs. Sumner P. Hunt and Mrs. Charles N. Flint entertained eighty-five guests at a charming luncheon Saturday at the Mary Louise. The tables were gay with great bunches of holly, green candles with bright shades in quaint holders, and the place cards carried out the Christmas motif.

After the luncheon the guests were highly entertained by Mrs. Jerome Reynolds (Alma Whitaker) who gave two delightful readings from her new book, "Trousers and Skirts," in her own inimitable manner.

Mrs. Lillian Burckhardt Goldsmith gave an interesting address on the drama, past and present, and some clever impersonations.

Announced at Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene C. Joannes have announced the engagement of their daughter Therese to Mr. Roy E. Maggart. The announcement was made last Friday evening at a dinner dance given at their home on Occidental Boulevard at which a group of Miss Joannes's sorority sisters and Mr. Maggart's fraternity brothers were entertained.

Miss Joannes is a graduate of the Marlborough School and is now a junior at the University of Southern California.

Mr. Maggart is an attorney here, receiving his degree at the University of California. He is a Delta Chi and a member of the University Club.

The wedding date has not been announced.

On Way Home

Miss Carolyn Cochran is on her way home from Smith College to spend the holidays here with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Guy Cochran of Loma Drive.

Returned From East

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Naftzger have returned from two months in the East. They spent the greater part of the time in New York and Philadelphia where they were delightfully entertained by friends.

Entertained in East

Mrs. Gertrude Ross has returned from her sojourn in the East. She spent four weeks in NEW York City, where she enjoyed a continual round of theaters, concerts and operas, and was guest of honor at parties given for her by the Yeatman Griffiths, Frank La Forge, Arthur Larason, Crystal Waters, Katherine McNeal, the James MacDermids, Alariska Aldrich and others. En route home she stopped in Baltimore, Washington and Chattanooga, Tenn.

For Bride-elect

Complimenting Miss Ethelwyn Conrey, who is to marry Mr. John Brown Lindsey, Jr., of Kentucky, on January 1, Mrs. Charles Off and Mrs. Frank D. Owen entertained on Saturday afternoon with a delightful party. Miss Marion Bemis entertained with some songs, Miss Conrey played some violin selections, with Miss Maryline Conrey at the piano. Later the guests danced.

To South America

Leaving in January for a four months' cruise around South America, Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Kendall, Mrs. W. G. Gates, Miss Ruthmary Gates, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gotemman, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Siegeland and Mr. D. F. Robertson will proceed to Havana, Panama Canal, Cristobal, Balboa, Callao, Iquique. On arriving at Valparaiso they will cross the Andes to Buenos Aires, returning by wav of the Barbadoes.

For Bride and Fiance

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gates Allen are entertaining at their winter home on South Orange Grove avenue, Pasadena, with an interesting and handsomely arranged dinner party on the evening of the 26th inst. in honor of the much-feted bride-elect, Miss Betty Hixon, and her fiance, Dr. Paul Hunter, whose marriage is to take place on January 3.

Dancing Party

Many interesting social events are taking place among the different colleges of the University of Southern California before school closes for the Christmas holidays. An event of the last week of special notice was the dance at which members of the Xi Psi Phi fraternity were hosts at their fraternity house on South Figueroa street, Friday evening. The Christmas motif was artistically carried out in the decorations of the ballroom and in the programs. A college orchestra furnished the music for fifty couples. Maj. H. A. Cameau is president of the fraternity.

At Dinner

Miss Kate Ware of the Hollywood School for Girls entertained on Saturday evening with an attractively appointed dinner party at the Elite in Hollywood. Her guests were Misses Josephine and Betsy White, Mae Rosser, Grace Mary Martin and Marguerite Swope.

Breakfast

Sliced Pineapple
Scrambled Eggs
Toast Jam
Milk Coffee

Luncheon

Veal Cutlets Italian
Celery Salad
California Fruit Tart
Milk Tea

Dinner

Cream of Corn
Ripe Olives
Rabbit Pie
Beets Sauted Potatoes Paprika
Cucumber Salad,
Sour Cream Dressing
Pumpkin Lemon Pie

VEAL CUTLETS ITALIAN

Have the butcher cut rib veal cutlets three-quarters of an inch thick and trim nicely; dredge them with pepper and salt, roll in melted butter, roll in grated Parmesan cheese, and cover with beaten egg; cover with sifted stale bread crumbs seasoned with salt and pepper and saute in melted butter until tender. Cover a hot serving platter with cooked macaroni mixed with Italian sauce, lay on this the cooked cutlets and cover each cutlet with a thin slice of fried ham.

CALIFORNIA FRUIT TART

Scald one cup of milk in a double boiler; mix half a cup of sugar with one-third of a cup of sifted flour and pour over them the scalded milk, mix well, place in the double boiler and stir and cook until it starts to thicken; add one well-beaten egg and stir until thick. Cool slightly, add half a cup of seedless raisins and pour into a baked pie shell. Rub one cup of apricot jam through a sieve and spread over the custard; cover the jam with a layer of peeled and sliced bananas and just before serving cover with unsweetened whipped cream.

RABBIT PIE

Cut up a Belgian hare as for stew, removing all large bones; line a deep pudding dish with a good pie pastry and put in a layer of the hare, cover the hare with a layer of sliced hard boiled eggs, cover the eggs with a little finely grated onion and cover these with small dice of cooked ham; continue this method until the dish is nearly filled and pour over four tablespoons of melted butter and one cup of water in which has been mixed one teaspoon of worcestershire sauce, one tablespoon of chutney syrup, and one tablespoon of tomato catsup. Cover with pastry, leaving a vent in the center, and bake in a moderate oven one and half hours. Serve in the same dish.

BEETS SAUTED

Cut boiled and peeled beets in even sized small dice. Heat four tablespoons of butter in a saucepan, add the beets, sprinkle over a seasoning of salt and pepper, a little sugar, and a few drops of lemon juice. Toss or stir lightly until thoroughly heated; pile the beets in a hot serving dish, sprinkle with finely chopped parsley, and if liked a few chopped mint leaves.

PUMPKIN LEMON PIE

Beat four tablespoons of butter and half a cup of sugar to a light cream and beat into them the well beaten yolks of two eggs, the grated rind and juice of half a lemon, one quarter of a teaspoon each of ground cinnamon and nutmeg, two teaspoons of orange juice, half a cup of cream, one and a half cups of cooked and strained pumpkin, and the stiffly beaten white of one egg. Pour the mixture into a pastry lined pie tin and bake in a moderate oven.

HOUSEHOLD SUGGESTIONS

Can't Be Done

If baby continually pulls the ties out of his booties, tack them securely to the back of the bootie and the trick cannot be done.

Bound Buttonholes

Buttonholes on linen or other heavy fabric are very attractive, and likewise very durable, if bound with the same material instead of working them with a needle.

To Clean the Clock

Saturate a piece of absorbent cotton with kerosene oil and place it in the bottom of the clock. Let it remain there for three or four days. Then remove and start the clock. The fumes from the oil will thoroughly clean the works and act as a rejuvenator to the clock.

At the Embroidery Counter

When buying linen for embroidery it is wise to buy a full yard, even if a centerpiece is all we require at the time. The corners and left-over linen come in mighty handy for dainty doilies that may be embroidered or a crocheted edge put around them and given away at Christmas time to people whom we remember with just a small gift.

Expensive Reading

If you are in the habit of reading the newspaper in the trolley car or train, you will be wise to first remove your gloves, as the printer's ink can soil them in one wearing.

An Easy Method

When freshening baby's rompers with a coat of dye, an easy method is to use the soap variety of dye. Place the soap in your soap-shaker and shake thoroughly through the boiling water until it is the desired shade for the rompers. Then immerse garments.

A Yearly Job

Once a year wash down the bathroom tiles with a light paste of plaster of paris, allowing it to dry and then wiping off what adheres to the smooth surface. This treatment will eliminate all dark spots and lines.

Daily Fashion Hints From VOGUE

An Adaptable Frock

This is the sort of dress that is pre-eminently adaptable, since one may make it in Poiret twill with a satin sash and an apron of itself, if warmth is desired, or in crepe de chine with an apron of georgette crepe, if a lighter frock fits better with one's plans.

It is easier to wear than the usual one-piece frock, too, because the waist is cut separately and joined to the skirt, giving an easier fitting if one isn't as slender as a rolled umbrella. The sash and bow, too, help in the illusion of slimness. Black is decidedly the color for such a dress, though some women still cling to navy blue.

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[Questions concerning vocational problems of women will be answered in this column by Mrs. Watreus if addressed her in care of The Times. If personal replies are desired a stamped envelope must accompany the letter.]

COMPENSATION

My dear "Ruth": You would have had a reply long since if I had not indulged in a hectic flirtation with pneumonia. You knew there are women who will flirt with anything regardless of the consequences.

While I was making my fight not to take my flirtation too seriously, I darned all my stockings—I do wish Santy would bring me just one pair guaranteed against wear—and tried to recall the name of some of the books I had seen that would fill your needs. You know you can think of a lot of things while you darn. I mean a lot of things other than language.

I resented being laid low more particularly because I knew there were a lot of letters down here that would need answering. I try to keep my correspondence up to the notch, and when I am away for a week it means a lot of work.

Late one afternoon my brother wandered in with a copy of the American Magazine for December. Here was compensation for the near-pneumonia, for within its covers I found the answer to your question.

In an article entitled "How Many of These Errors do You Make?" you will find a list of the words you mentioned in your letter. It is one of the clearest explanations of the abuse and misuse of words I have seen for some time.

There are a number of books under titles such as "Business English," "Correct English," and so forth, but I do not happen to know of one that is exceptionally good. Any book store will be able to supply you with several different copies, one of which should meet your needs.

The college graduate is not immune from these "slips of the tongue." It is very easy to fall into careless habits, not because the speaker does not know, but rather because he acquires language in early childhood that he continues to use all through life. If an educated man associates with illiterates for any considerable period of time, he will acquire habits of speech quite foreign to his training.

There are also the provincialisms of the particular section in which one lives in early youth. I have heard college students in the South tell classmates that they were "just a-fixin' to go." "How come you-all takin' chemistry this yeah?" is most commonly used. Bad company corrupts good speech as surely as it does good morals.

Among newspaper writers the split infinitive is the most common of all errors. The faut lies in our speech. If we didn't split our infinitives in coversation, we wouldn't find them creeping into our copy.

The tragic phase of this careless use of words is that it is so difficult to correct. Once they have slipped into our daily speech we become unconscious of their presence. Take the words "continually" and "continuously." They are used interchangably by many well-educated men—professional men who frequently speak in public. Vigilance is the only remedy, and many people who think and talk rapidly would rather express an idea in poor English than halt and think out the word that has the exact value desired.

I know nothing of correspondence courses in English. They may be very helpful. I would suggest that you enter one of the classes in English in a business college, or one of the evening high schools. A course in grammar to start with would refresh your memory on points that have been forgotten since you studied it as a child. I believe a term's work would show a big improvement in the speech of any one who has become rusty on grammar and construction.

Your question about Christmas cards was answered in another issue.

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS

Dear Mrs. W.—It was kind of you to pay me such a compliment. I am always reluctant about choosing vocations for others. I know nothing of your tastes, nor your temperament. Students of character analysis tell us that work lies in one of three divisions. Ideas, things, people. We should analyze our preferences, determining which of these three divisions has the strongest appeal. If you like to deal with people, then it would be a mistake to choose a vocation that shut you away with things. If you are restless and active, and like work that changes from one type to another, then it would be unfortunate if you learned to operate a calculating machine. The ancient philosophies tell us to work for the work's sake. That is, if we do not find our reward in the work—if it is not a real pleasure—then we cannot be happy or successful. If you will think of yourself in relation to the three divisions I have named, then write me the result of your analysis, we will be able to select a vocation for you that will bring you happiness and a livelihood as well.

Dear Mrs. R.—The City Editor has charge of the reporters, and usually employs the men on his staff. Let me suggest that you prepare one or two feature stories and take them with you when you ask for a job. They will give him a better idea of what you can do, and how you would do it, than anything you might say. A course in journalism at one of the evening high schools or university extension classes would also give you an idea of how newspaper stories are written.

Diet and Health

By Lulu Hunt Peters, M.D.

FRESH AIR IN TUBERCULOSIS

Last week in our talks on tuberculosis I told you that of the factors that go to cure tuberculosis, rest, fresh air and an adequate and suitable diet stand highest, and that the medication is secondary. I told you the importance of an early diagnosis and early treatment of tuberculosis because the earlier it is recognized and treated, the greater the chances are for recovery. In fact, the percentage of recovery in early tuberculosis is very high.

I told you the importance of being under the care of a specialist, and to avoid the quack "specialist," those who advertise to the layman. Many general practitioners do not take tuberculosis cases, but if you go to a reputable general practitioner he will refer you to some one who specializes in that disease, if he does not himself.

In this paper I am going to speak of fresh air in tuberculosis. You all know that fresh air is very important to a person of normal health. To a person suffering with tuberculosis, it is of supreme importance.

Pottenger in his book "Tuberculosis and How to Combat It," writing of fresh air, states: "Individuals who live in badly ventilated rooms with their bodies surrounded by stale air, lack nerve and mental stability as well as physical tone. They fail to digest and assimilate their food properly and consequently suffer from low state of vitality. Other conditions being equal, the converse is true of those who live in the open. Their cellular activity is stimulative and their nerve and physical tone are greatly improved . . . Open air should surround the patient with tuberculosis for a large portion of each day. If his reacting powers are sufficient to stand it; if they are not, he should be sheltered somewhat but still be supplied with moving air . . . If one who has lived in closed apartments is to be placed in the open in cold weather, he must be prepared for it by suitable clothing, hot bottles and other devices, and should be subjected to the more stimulating conditions gradually."

Webb and Ryder, in their book "Recovery Record For Use in Tuberculosis," state: "The best general rule about fresh air is the old formula— To be taken 'externally, internally and eternally' . . . You should be out of doors nearly all the time, and should never be in the stagnant air of an unventilated room. If out of doors stagnant air is bad, and all porches should be open on two sides in all but the most stormy weather. The southwestern corner is the best, giving cross ventilation without too much exposure to wind.

"Whenever it is possible patients should sleep out on a porch even in cold weather, but it is well to take up this part of the treatment cautiously, especially if you start in winter. Begin by sleeping in a room with windows open on two sides in all weathers, and when you are used to this try the porch. If you cannot have a porch keep on cheerfully with windows open on two or more sides. Even at night there should be cross ventilation except during very severe weather. A porch shut in with curtains is not as good as a well-ventilated room.

"If you must be in the house the room temperature should not exceed 68 deg., especially during very cold weather. Plenty of water should be evaporated in connection with the heating system in the furnace or on the radiators. A plentiful supply of well-watered plants is a great help. Plants on sleeping porches or in bedrooms or in any other rooms are absolutely harmless except to some person with hayfever or asthma.

"The house should be aired several times a day by throwing open the doors and the windows for a few minutes. In addition at least one window in every room should be open all the time unless this causes distinct discomfort. Avoid strong drafts, however, when indoors and lightly clothed. Without comfort, day and night, rest is impossible, and rest is the basis of recovery. Your situation must be comfortable with cross ventilation, but protected from high wind and the glare of the sun. Your chair or bed must be comfortable. In short, you must be perfectly comfortable. Especially must you be so dressed and covered as to be neither too hot nor too cold."

Have you bought your Christmas Seals to have a little share in the prevention and cure of tuberculosis?

Tomorrow:—Rest in Tuberculosis.

[My Dear Followers. When sending for material which we offer you, please remember to enclose a stamped envelope bearing your full name and address. The pamphlet on reducing and gaining is the only one for which you must enclose four cents in stamps extra. Address your letters to me in care of this paper. Make them as brief as possible, not over 200 words, and type or write them legibly with ink. Please sign your name as evidence of good faith—we will not use it in any way. Remember it is impossible for me to diagnose for you or to answer you personally. I appreciate very much the beautiful letters you send me and regret it is impossible to give you individual advice. The questions you ask will be answered in the column as soon as possible. If they are of general interest. Don't forget the s. a. e. If you expect me to send you the information I have offered.]

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Quilting At Home

When blankets begin to wear thin, double the pair together and cover one side with a thin layer of quilting cotton. Then cover both sides with a flowered cretonne or satine and you have a lovely dainty and warm quilt.

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THE turkey is done to a turn. The kiddies clamor impatiently, and the guests wait in polite expectancy. You open a can of *Blossom Brand* Salted Almonds and fill each individual nut cup with these crisp, delicious nuts. It is the last touch to a perfect meal.

Nut after nut vanishes under the onslaught of family and guests. No one seems able to get enough, and before you know it every almond has disappeared and the folks are openly wishing for more. *Blossom Brand* Salted Almonds are just that good! They make everything else taste better.

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BLOSSOM BRAND SALTED ALMONDS

Write for Almond Butter Recipe Folder

California Almond Packers, Inc. Sacramento, Calif.

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PUBLIC RADIO SET READY FOR TRYOUT

By a "Times" Staff Correspondent

PASADENA, Dec. 16.—Pasadena's new public address system costing thousands of dollars, which will be used in broadcasting speeches, wireless, football plays and exercises of all kinds, will be tested for the first time tomorrow afternoon in Rose Bowl.

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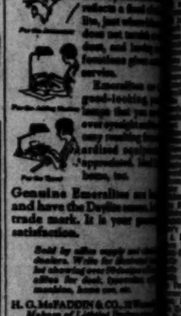

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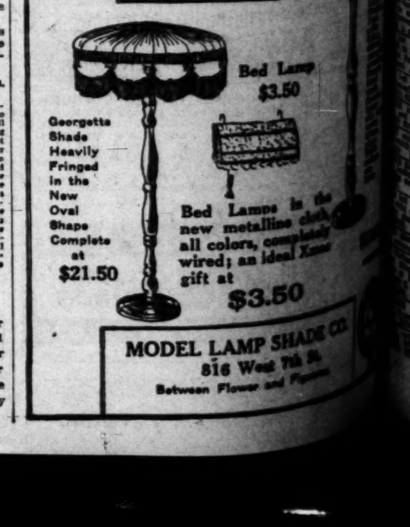

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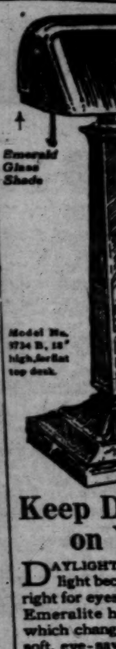

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FORD TOURING, $200; late model; has seat cut for camping; overhauled and repainted; splendid motor.
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1918 So. Main. Open Sun. & Eves.

FORD touring, 1923, looks and runs like new; $115 down, balance easy.
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827 S. FIGUEROA

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FORD 23 ROAD. New paint, tires of extras $75 down, 60-day guarantee.
3252 W. WASHINGTON.

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HUPMOBILE roadster, 1922, refinished in the new Lacquer system, painted a beautiful, rich maroon; looks like new paper. 222 N. VERMONT. Drexel 6262.

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HOUSES—For Sale

Miscellaneous

WONDERFUL ENGLISH BRICK AND TIMBER HOME ON LARGE SIGHTLY CORNER LOT. Size 85x180x170, irregular. Wilshire district. Beautiful flag stone terrace. Leaded glass windows. Built for a home. Circumstances make it necessary to sell.

Magnificent entrance hall; living-room 18x25, finished in solid oak and Tiffany. beautiful fireplace, attracting library with cathedral ceiling, acid-stained woodwork, good-sized dining-room, panelled with oak, delightful sun parlor; compactly kitchen finished in French gray and tile; basement with complete laundry, electrically-controlled unit system of heat. Maid's room and bath downstairs.

Beautiful stairway leads to 4 master bedrooms, the main master room 18 ft. long, with double dressing-room, connecting bath with shower and decorations of peacock blue and gold.

Unsurpassed view of the mountains can be had from all the bedrooms. There is a sleeping-room, inclosed sleeping porch and an attractive deck room. Lots of closets and many extra features that can only be found in a home built especially to suit the needs of a family of culture.

The grounds are landscaped, with all varieties of flowers and shrubbery. And the rear garden and pool are most attractive.

This is not an old house, and everything is in first-class condition. You will miss a great opportunity if you overlook seeing this beautiful property. It could not be duplicated today in this refined and exclusive community for anywhere near the price quoted. Price $20,000. Terms can be arranged.

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1041 SOUTH WILTON
A BEAUTIFUL TEN-ROOM HOME
FIVE BEDROOMS, THREE BATHS
Living room and library in solid mahogany. Dining room in quarter sawed oak. Four master bedrooms and sleeping porch. Big cement basement and laundry. Servant's closet room, basement and furnace. Large oversized lot. Beautifully landscaped with trees, flowers and shrubbery. Situated on high ground, in a very desirable location. Lot 100 feet front. Price $10,000. Drive to quick buyer, $17,500.

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BEAUTIFUL WILSHIRE HOME

8-Room Stucco Bungalow
Located West of Western, in high-class residential district. Features of this home are its genuine mahogany finish, canvas walls in living room, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, one with tile walls. Kitchen has built-in cabinets and floor. Basement with gas furnace. The price of $16,500 is much below the cost of duplicating this property. Owner is leaving city and is asking for a real home. Terms can be arranged. Call Mrs. Gardner or Mr. Ryan, with

FORD & BECKER,
607 S. Western Ave. Dunkirk 1000.

ON PLYMOUTH NEAR BEVERLY.
$11,500.
One of the most attractive stucco bungalows in the new Windsor Square is being offered by the owner at this price because he is leaving ANKEOS Terms. This is a large living-room with Cathedral ceiling, beautiful fireplace, built-in buffet in the basement; in fact it is strictly modern in every respect and is A REAL BUY.

GLENN & SMITH,
333 South Western Avenue.
Next to Bank of America.
567-137—Phones—567-874.

SOME REMARKABLE VALUES
IN WILSHIRE DISTRICT.

SOUTH NORTON AVE.—A cash buyer can secure a bargain in this 2-story home of 10 rooms, including 2 baths and cabinet shower and 2 bedrooms; owner open to accept reasonable offer. Only $12,000, sold at $13,000 last year; now, east-front lot, 62x170; with shrubbery, bearing trees and garage. Call Dunkirk 1267.
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HURRY!! HURRY!! HURRY!!!
This positively cannot last.
Think of it!
$2000 cash will handle a beautiful 5-room new Spanish bungalow in the Wilshire.
Price for quick sale only $8750.
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$17,500. 9 ROOMS. 2-STORY. 2 BATHS.
CRENSHAW BOULEVARD HOME.
Beautiful home in heart of exclusive neighborhood. Landscaped east $1500. A quaint colonial home of rare charm and refinement in highly restricted district. Phone Installed. 3 bedrooms, tile walls, garage, laundry, basement, screen sun parlor, hardwood floors, tiled fireplace, furnace. Mahogany throughout. Attractive WASHINGTON home should bring $25,000. Must sell this week. Priced for quick, cash sale; owner considered any part U. S. Property. Terms.

IT'S A BUNGALETTE.

Come out and see the little home that sells for little money.

TRADES ARE CONSIDERED.

The small cash payment makes the deal satisfactory.

Be sure to ask for the Bungalette, $462 S. MAIN St. Post or Mr. Summar.

COME AND SEE THIS ONE

One of the best looking 7-room bungalows on WINDSOR SQUARE. It will be open for inspection every day in the week from 2 to 5 p.m. PRICED RIGHT. Address owner, 1241 BEACHWOOD DRIVE, Mt. VERNON, Drexel 4473, and will be glad to call for you.

6-ROOM MODERN BUNGALOW
Near L. A. High school. Large living room, 2 large sleeping rooms. Double garage. Hardwood floors throughout. Automatic heater, tile sink and bath. A good value at $12,500, $3500 cash will handle, balance $75 month.
Phone A. HENRY, Dunkirk 1823.

$16,000 PICKUP $16,000
COMPLETELY FURNISHED
SEVEN ROOM BUNGALOW
2 baths, furnace, 2 bedrooms, beautiful location on Crescent Place, heart of Wilshire district. Call 233 N. LARCHMONT BLVD. HOLLY 1740.

JUST LIKE PAYING RENT
A real honor built modern 4-rm. house, 7x10 screen porch, large east front level lot, close to car line 2 blocks from school. $4500, $375, bal. $60 per mo. WILSHIRE REALTY CO., 5021 Whittier Blvd.

NEAR WESTERN & BEVERLY BLVD
VALUABLE UNRESTRICTED LOT 50x
143 with charming 5-rm. bungalow, awnings, garage, a SACRIFICE at $9800. $2000 cash, balance to get. Owner W. GRACE, 105 N. Western ave. 432-354.

OPEN FOR INSPECTION
2 to 4 p.m. Owner's machine. New 5-room stucco bungalow, 858 LILLIAN WAY.

HOUSES—For Sale

Miscellaneous

OPEN FOR INSPECTION.
CORNER WELLINGTON RD. AND
ST. CHARLES PLACE.

In beautiful Lafayette Square, this palatial residence, which was built by a doctor for his own home, located on that large N.W. corner of Wellington Road and St. Charles Place. There are 11 rooms and 3 baths, well appointed, with unusual construction. If you are contemplating building, be all means see this home, and thus save yourself the annoyance and delay of building.

A WONDERFUL BUY.
$20,000—IN NEW WINDSOR SQ. AN 8-ROOM 2-STORY SPANISH RESIDENCE. 3 BATHS, 4 BEDROOMS, reception hall, LARGE living-room opening out on PATIO, dining-room, kitchen, breakfast-room, unit gas furnace, double garage. INTERIOR is MAHOGANY TRIM. Hand-wrought iron bannister and fixtures. Beautifully DECORATED. TRULY a wonderful home at A BARGAIN PRICE. INSPECT at once and be CONVINCED. Terms. See or phone MR. CHILDS, 1241 WESTCHESTER PL. 431-003.
M. E. HURLEY,
3817 Wilshire Blvd. at Manhattan.
567-646.

$16,500. $16,500.
10-ROOM 2-STORY.
This very desirable home has 4 bedrooms and 2 sleeping porches. All hardwood floors. East-front lot 50x150, unrestricted. Jan., 1925. On one of the most desirable streets west of Western. Call Mr. VERNON, with J. E. ALTHOUSE CO., 315 S. Western. Drexel 4474.

EXCEPTIONAL 5-room stucco on corner in Windsor Square. Complete and beautiful in every respect. Price and down payt. right for quick sale.
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567068.

SACRIFICE beautiful 9-rm. home, N.E. cor. 6th and Van Ness. Don't disturb tenant; shown by appointment ONLY. Call MR. WHITE, Drexel 4473; eve. 437-906.

$800 DOWN
New 4-rm. stucco plastered bung., 2 bed rms., gar., ½ blk. from school and blvd. Price $3500. Terms. Westergard & Hannigan, 920 S. INDIANA. Boyle 4180.

NEW Windsor Sq. Bargain, 7 rms., mahogany finish. Baseball furnace. Call MR. TOLLAN, Drexel 4473.

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with splendid income? We have it at a wonderfully attractive price. 10 bedroom, library, sunny dining-rm., cheerful breakfast-rm. and very convenient kitchen. 4 large bedrooms, bedroom and 2 baths and a maid's rm. Two-car garage with hardwood floors throughout and bath for chauffeur. Adjoining the garage is a large gymnasium with linoleum on the floor. And a shower and plunge bath. Hot and cold water in each bedroom. If you want a real home and a real bargain, call or see

FORD & BECKER,
607 S. Western Ave. Dunkirk 1000.

AUCTION

TUESDAY, DEC. 18, AT 1 P.M.
261 Sturtevant Road, Sierra Madre, Cal.
Main or drive in highway 66. Estate Livingston Lodge, now open for inspection. Sturtevant's beautiful gardens, mineral water, etc. Finest scenic view in the world.

THREE BUILDINGS, FURNISHED.
A gold mine for some one with vision. Only 45 min. drive from L. A. Further particulars phone 524-521, SOUTH PLANC. Cal. Foremost Auctioneer, 730 Stock Exch. Bldg. Auction sale held, sales conducted any part U. S. Property. Satisfactory terms.

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BEAUTIFUL 5-ROOM 2-STORY
CRENSHAW BOULEVARD HOME.
Buy it on easy terms. Large lot. House in splendid condition. 3 large, airy bedrooms, breakfast room, fine bath and extra lavatory. If you see it you will buy it.
Price or see A. J. BAUTER.
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FOR SALE TO SETTLE AN ESTATE
WONDERFUL TWO STORY BARGAIN.
NORTH WILSHIRE DISTRICT.
LOVELY LARGE ROOMS AND IMPRESSIVE ENTRANCE HALL. Four good-sized bedrooms, bath of closet room, basement and furnace. Large oversized lot. Beautifully landscaped with trees, flowers and shrubbery. Situated on high ground, in a very desirable location. Lot 100 feet front. Price $10,000. Drive to quick buyer, $17,500.

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250 SOUTH PLYMOUTH
MAGNIFICENT ITALIAN HOME
Inspection by appointment only. This is one of the best built homes in New Windsor Square. There are ten very lovely rooms, three baths, heating, exceptional woodwork, hand made fixtures, unusually high ceilings and exquisite interior arrangement. Every floor in the house is solid mahogany.

JAMES J. DONAHUE
Wilshire corner Western. Drexel 4951.

MAGNIFICENT WILSHIRE HOME.
$25,000—Sacrifice for Quick Sale—$25,000
Located on South Hobart Blvd. near 4th st. 10 rooms, 3 baths, large living-rm., library, sunny dining-rm., cheerful breakfast-rm. and very convenient kitchen. 4 large bedrooms, bedroom and 2 baths and a maid's rm. Two-car garage with hardwood floors throughout and bath for chauffeur. Adjoining the garage is a large gymnasium with linoleum on the floor. And a shower and plunge bath. Hot and cold water in each bedroom. If you want a real home and a real bargain, call or see
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FOR SALE—SNAP.
BIG SACRIFICE BY OWNER.

BEAUTIFUL WILSHIRE HOME.
FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED.

Best location in the city, on Beverly Blvd., 5 blocks west of Western; 9 beautiful rooms, large south front lot at highest point overlooking whole city.

$5000 UNDER MARKET.

OPEN FOR INSPECTION DAILY.

4847 BEVERLY BOULEVARD.

IMMEDIATE POSSESSION.

MUST SELL THIS WEEK.
NEW DUPLEX BARGAIN. This is a beautiful home. Live on one side, the other side is rented, 1 am an Eastern builder and they build slightly different there. There are six wonderful rooms on each side. Elegant living room, tiled fany finish. Dining room, mahogany and linen. Bkfast nook, kitchen, tiled sink and all built-in features, lab. toilet and dressing room down stairs, and 3 large airy bedrooms upstairs, also a tiled bath and separate shower. Stairs and porch upstairs and down. Business back East calls me and I must sell this week. Priced for action and only $8000 handles. Mr. Wise Holly 4151. 482 N. WESTERN. Come out to agents; bring your clients, I mean business.
$6250 $6850

We are just completing 14 pebble-dash stucco 5-room bungalows, located a block from car line, 7 miles from 7th and Broadway, in a lovely restricted neighborhood. These homes are modern to the minute, having hardwood floors throughout, Tile bath and sink, automatic water heater. Real fireplace, and every modern home. Can be bought with $1000 down, balance $65 mo. including interest. Resale on these homes will be $9000. Come out and be convinced.

EDDIE LINGENFELDER,
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BEAUTIFUL NEW SIX-ROOM BUNGALOW BY FAR THE LARGEST, FINEST AND BEST ARRANGED RESIDENCE IN THIS DISTRICT OF A WONDERFUL FUTURE. HARDWOOD FLOORS OF HIGHEST GRADE THROUGHOUT, TILE BATH AND TILE SINK, BACHELDER TILE FIREPLACE. INTERIOR BEAUTIFULLY DECORATED. CAN BE PURCHASED NOW AT A PRICE THAT WILL SHOW FINE RETURNS ON INVESTMENT. SMALL PAYMENT SECURES POSSESSION. COME SEE THE HOME AT 3334 KELTON. PHONE 559079.

BEAUTIFUL WELLINGTON SQUARE home completely furnished. Phone installed Exclusive, highly restricted section between Washington and West Adams. Large living-room, real fireplace, hardwood floors, two bedrooms, bath, dining room, breakfast nook, kitchen, screen porch, garage, lawn, flowers and fruit trees in garden. Unexpected trip East. Price $11,500; income from 2 to 2. No agents. 2304 VICTORIA BLVD.

BEAUTIFUL colonial bungalow, ¼ block from West Adams car line, containing large rooms with ventilated closets, tile bath and sink, breakfast nook, large number one oak floors throughout, attractive fireplace, chimney and fireplace, extra built-in features, fruit trees, lawns, beautiful, cement porch, garage, awnings, attractive and inviting. Bordered. Price $8500, terms. Buy from owner and save. 2304 VICTORIA BLVD.

OWNER will sell in within for $12,500 down, beautiful ten-room bung., furnished. Splendid modern bungalow, Colonial fireplace with mahogany trim, porch, library, dining-rm., breakfast-rm., tile bath, 3 bedrms., maid's rm., chauffeur's quarters; garage. Price; gas furnace. Rund heater, tile bath, shower. (Can be bought unfurnished.)

BROADWAY 1354 or 561-63.

5-ROOM HOME OR INCOME
Beautiful 2-story house, 4 bedrooms, or can be converted into apartments. Within block of 6th and Western. Price $13,500, $5000 cash, balance on mortgage 10 years with renewal privilege. This is $2000 under present value. A quick action is necessary. DEATON & DEATON, 1241 West Washington. 70156.

BOUGHT—Splendid corner lot, 2 Wilshire Blvd. Built a 6-room bungalow for our own use. My plans have changed. Must return to Chicago. Sell, trade or lease for the lot. The house cost $8825, plus architect's fee. Sell for 1 can sell at once I will take $15,500 or $6000 cash, balance mortgage $8000 yrs., 7½% Ph. Holly 4151 after 8857 morning.

6-RM. STUCCO ON WINDSOR BLVD.
Two bedrooms, breakfast room. Tiled bath and sink. Panel dining room. Nice floors throughout. Tiled bath and sink. Built-in features. Full cement drive. Large lot. High ground. ONLY $12,000. $4000 CASH. Deuie Cox.
3266 W. 19th st. 760-753

$10,500

SPECIAL BUY—READ THIS.

6-rm. Spanish Wilshire bungalow, new, elegant big rms. Tile bath and sink, big oak floor. Lot 50x140. Dbl. garage. Buy this at once. $2000 cash.
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NEAR LOS ANGELES HIGH SCHOOL.
$6750.
Four-room colonial house, modestly furnished. Liberal terms. Owner is home on a lot where income property may be had and you will need to hurry early to get this one. Call at 958 VICTORIA AVENUE or telephone 767-323.

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A BARGAIN
For someone who wants a lovely home in WILSHIRE DISTRICT. Nine rooms, one full bath and extra toilet, complete laundry, cellar, furnace, beautiful lawn, shrubs and fruit trees. Lot 50x150. Only $9000 or call at 5881 Dunsmuir Place. Price $11,500 for quick sale; terms.
CLARENCE A. & CO.
6344 Hollywood Blvd. 432-365.

$11,500—WILSHIRE VISTA HOME—$11,500
A wonderful English style stucco home, 5 rooms and large nook, Basement and furnace, automatic lawn sprinkler, beautiful lawn and shrubs, built for a home and is a home worth while. $3500 cash, easy terms. 1100 COCHRAN AVE. 762188.

HOME ON UNION AVE.
5-ROOM MODERN HOME.
Between Eighth and Ninth on Union, where values are soaring. Can be easily remodeled into a duplex. Immediate possession. Lot alone worth the asking price. Easy terms.
JAGGERS, Drex. 1604. 3211 W. 6th st.

WE SELL BARGAINS ONLY.
In fine residence, bungalows, 2-story houses, flats, duplexes and lots. See us if you are in the market. Ask for Mr. Gunn.
CLARENCE URBAN.
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HOLLYWOOD way, just 2 blks. N. of Sunset Blvd. Class' 6-rm. stucco on high ground; constructed right; 2 bdrms., 2 lavatories, tile bath, sink, all built-ins. Price right, $4000 will handle this classy home. 2238 S. HARVARD.

ABOVE Hollywood Blvd., 7-room 2-story modern residence, 3 bedrooms, on one of the best streets in Hollywood. Buy this today at $14,500, terms. Call Holly 0256. COMMISSION REFUNDING CO., 4858 Santa Monica Blvd.

HERE'S A SACRIFICE.
Handy 11-room house, completely furnished. Need Price $13,500; income from 8 rooms, $200; immediate possession.
JOHNSON, 422 Byrne Bldg. 64418.

OWNER MUST SACRIFICE—
Beautiful new 5-rm. home, between Washington and Adams. Tile bath and sink. Built by day. Latest features. Immediate possession. Cash terms. Price $7650. Inquire 2502 WEST VERNON AVE. Univ. 6896.

LOS ANGELES HIGH SCHOOL VALUE!
Eight rooms and rec. hall, new stucco, high French roof, elegant decorations and mahogany finish, hardwood floors, lot worth $7000; only $15,500, $4000 cash will handle. Near Washington. No agents. 73870.

XMAS GIFT TO YOU
Bring your check for $4750. This makes you the owner of 5-room Spanish bungalow. Double garage. Lot 50x144 to 20-ft. alley. Lot is worth $6000. Close to 2 car lines. It's a real gift. Call 597-113.

5 ROOMS 2 STORY HOUSE
Wilshire lot 50x165 near 2 car. 148 S. ARDMORE. Living room 23x16, real fireplace, 2 bedrooms, built-ins, 2 baths, sleeping porch, garage, space for 4 machines, gas furnace. Will sell for terms. 220 W. 43RD ST. 293677.

A BARGAIN—6-rm. mod. home, by owner. Must be sold at once. Price $11,500. 4678 46TH ST., betw. Main and Moneta.

NEW 5-room house near Santa Barbara and Western, $4500 cash. 779 W. SANTA BARBARA. Univ. 3113.

$1500 WILL handle 4-room bungalow, newly decorated, close to school. Price $4500. 640 W. 92ND ST. Sun. Ph. 821995.

$2500 CASH buys as good a 6-rm. home as there is in the city. Inquire 1241 Figueroa. On 47th. Wagner, 4717 Moneta.

$7300—DOUBLE BUNGALOW
$1000 cash, balance like rent.
FRANCIS M. TAYLOR, 4801 S. Western.

IN Rogers Park, 6-room on large lot, near car line, a bargain. See LAMON, 6002 80. VERMONT.

BEAUTIFUL 7-rm. bungalow, close in, 3 bedrooms, breakfast nook, sleeping porch. $9000 handles. A bargain. PH. 53770.

5 ROOMS, bedrooms, $2500 cash. Price, $5250 cash. Call today. 1407 W. 68TH ST.

FOR SALE—4-rm. stucco, gar., lot 50x150, corner. Price $3750. 1732 74 st.

DOUBLE bungalow, 3 rooms and bath. Rented $80 mo. $7500. UNIV. 6373.

5 ROOMS, bdw. floors, $6500. $1500 cash. 7200 S. VERMONT. Ver. 9266.

BEAUTIFUL new bung., 5 rms., gar., near school, stores, car. Owner. Ver. 9060.

7-RM. bung. nr. Vermont. Snap $9000. Terms. Phone 31750. MORENTZ ADAMS. 76362.

ON HOOVER, 40x150, new 5-rm. bung., $5500, terms. 8408 S. VERMONT.

HOUSES—For Sale

West and Northwest

A REAL BARGAIN
6-room stucco bungalow, mahogany finish, in a wonderful location near Vermont and Les Feliz, close to foothills, schools, banks, market and all necessities of life. This home is a wonder We can't tell you all of it so will tell you just a few of the nice features. 2 large bedrooms, nice large tile bath, also shower, canvas walls, hand decorated, extra lavatory and toilet, double garage, awnings on all windows in front. This home is less than 6 months old. If you want a real home at the right price, buy this one for $15,500, $3500 down, balance $150, per month. We will be open Sunday for the express purpose of showing this home. ALLEN J. LOYED REALTY CO. 1804 Vermont ave. Phones 594388, 593477.

ONE'S MISFORTUNE IS ANOTHER'S GAIN.
FORCED TO SELL my beautiful 7-room colonial bungalow, 3 large bedrooms, living room 20x13 with real tiled fireplace. Big cheerful kitchen, all tile sink and drainboard. Breakfast room. Fine floors throughout, wonderful built-in features, on UNRESTRICTED LOT, 50x200, two blocks east of Western ave., on prominent corner. Garage. I bought this place for my home last March, but circumstances compel me to give it up. No, if's and or's about this, for it must be sold at once. My loss is your gain at $12,500 is the same that I paid. My equity is $4700. You assume the balance at 6% terms. See or call OWNER, 5306 Mountain ave. Phone 431314 or Holly 4151.

NEW WILSHIRE SPANISH BUNGALOW.
LARGE CORNER LOT, NEAR
BEVERLY BLVD.
ARTISTIC, REFINED, HOMELIKE, SUBSTANTIAL
$12,500. TERMS.
Studio, 5 rooms, with charming walled garden with tiled balcony terrace. Large living room with big old-fashioned fireplace, 2 bedrooms, sleeping porch, modern kitchen. Automatic hot water. Special decorations and fixtures. Garage. Lawns and shrubs. OWNER. 568647. No agents.

$1800 DOWN
TWO NEW FIVE-ROOM STUCCO
Hardwood floors, tiffany walls, breakfast nook, garage and large lot. Built by lumber company for wholesale cost. Price $6750. Payments $60 per month, includes interest. Open for inspection daily.

2141 30TH AVE.
2220 30TH AVE.
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$750 DOWN
DE LUXE 5-ROOM STUCCO
All hardwood floors, many built-in features, real fireplace. "Snippole" decorations. Garage. All improvements paid. Price $7600. SOMERSET DRIVE. Just minutes west of Broadway on 2 red car lines. Price $6500. Phone C. MARTIN, 701606 or 761248.

THIS cozy home, 26x32 on lot 75x96, comprising large living and dining room combined, 2 bedrooms, tile bath, built-in bath and shower. Kitchen with screen porch, garage, lawn, flowers and fruit trees in garden. Price $3500. Only $1000 down, balance $30 per month. Inspection 10 to 2. No agents. 2304 VICTORIA BLVD.

BEAUTIFUL colonial bungalow, ¼ block from West Adams car line, containing large rooms with ventilated closets, tile bath and sink, breakfast nook, large number one oak floors throughout, attractive fireplace, chimney and fireplace, extra built-in features, fruit trees, lawns, beautiful, cement porch, garage, awnings, attractive and inviting. Bordered. Price $8500, terms. Buy from owner and save. 2304 VICTORIA BLVD.

OWNER will sell in within for $12,500 down, beautiful ten-room bung., furnished. Splendid modern bungalow, Colonial fireplace with mahogany trim, porch, library, dining-rm., breakfast-rm., tile bath, 3 bedrms., maid's rm., chauffeur's quarters; garage. Price; gas furnace. Rund heater, tile bath, shower. (Can be bought unfurnished.)

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5-ROOM HOME OR INCOME
Beautiful 2-story house, 4 bedrooms, or can be converted into apartments. Within block of 6th and Western. Price $13,500, $5000 cash, balance on mortgage 10 years with renewal privilege. This is $2000 under present value. A quick action is necessary. DEATON & DEATON, 1241 West Washington. 70156.

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Two bedrooms, breakfast room. Tiled bath and sink. Panel dining room. Nice floors throughout. Tiled bath and sink. Built-in features. Full cement drive. Large lot. High ground. ONLY $12,000. $4000 CASH. Deuie Cox.
3266 W. 19th st. 760-753

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SPECIAL BUY—READ THIS.

6-rm. Spanish Wilshire bungalow, new, elegant big rms. Tile bath and sink, big oak floor. Lot 50x140. Dbl. garage. Buy this at once. $2000 cash.
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Four-room colonial house, modestly furnished. Liberal terms. Owner is home on a lot where income property may be had and you will need to hurry early to get this one. Call at 958 VICTORIA AVENUE or telephone 767-323.

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A BARGAIN
For someone who wants a lovely home in WILSHIRE DISTRICT. Nine rooms, one full bath and extra toilet, complete laundry, cellar, furnace, beautiful lawn, shrubs and fruit trees. Lot 50x150. Only $9000 or call at 5881 Dunsmuir Place. Price $11,500 for quick sale; terms.
CLARENCE A. & CO.
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A wonderful English style stucco home, 5 rooms and large nook, Basement and furnace, automatic lawn sprinkler, beautiful lawn and shrubs, built for a home and is a home worth while. $3500 cash, easy terms. 1100 COCHRAN AVE. 762188.

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5-ROOM MODERN HOME.
Between Eighth and Ninth on Union, where values are soaring. Can be easily remodeled into a duplex. Immediate possession. Lot alone worth the asking price. Easy terms.
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ABOVE Hollywood Blvd., 7-room 2-story modern residence, 3 bedrooms, on one of the best streets in Hollywood. Buy this today at $14,500, terms. Call Holly 0256. COMMISSION REFUNDING CO., 4858 Santa Monica Blvd.

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Handy 11-room house, completely furnished. Need Price $13,500; income from 8 rooms, $200; immediate possession.
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OWNER MUST SACRIFICE—
Beautiful new 5-rm. home, between Washington and Adams. Tile bath and sink. Built by day. Latest features. Immediate possession. Cash terms. Price $7650. Inquire 2502 WEST VERNON AVE. Univ. 6896.

LOS ANGELES HIGH SCHOOL VALUE!
Eight rooms and rec. hall, new stucco, high French roof, elegant decorations and mahogany finish, hardwood floors, lot worth $7000; only $15,500, $4000 cash will handle. Near Washington. No agents. 73870.

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Bring your check for $4750. This makes you the owner of 5-room Spanish bungalow. Double garage. Lot 50x144 to 20-ft. alley. Lot is worth $6000. Close to 2 car lines. It's a real gift. Call 597-113.

5 ROOMS 2 STORY HOUSE
Wilshire lot 50x165 near 2 car. 148 S. ARDMORE. Living room 23x16, real fireplace, 2 bedrooms, built-ins, 2 baths, sleeping porch, garage, space for 4 machines, gas furnace. Will sell for terms. 220 W. 43RD ST. 293677.

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$250 DOWN, 5-room bungalow on fine business lot. $450 MONETA

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$400 CASH, NEW, MODERN BUNGALOW. Bargain. 2715 W. 84th. Ver. 7003.

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$400 CASH, BALANCE LIKE RENT.
4-room bungalow, built-ins; garage, modern in every respect. 1528 SANTA MARIA AVE. One block off Compton.

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HOUSES—For Sale

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$250 DOWN—8 rooms, bathroom, new. Price $2500.

$300 down, 2 rooms and garage. North of Manchester. $2500. New.

$350 down, 5 rooms, modern, near car and school. $2850. New.

$500 down, 4 rooms and bath, large screened porch, garage. This is a dandy. North of Manchester, near Moneta. Al. J. McQUAIDE, 8562 Moneta.

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New 5 and 4-room houses; large high lots, all improvements in. You plan interior.
$1950 TO $2750.

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SCOTT'S SITELY SNAPS—
Income property and bungalow combination. "Cy" knows. See "Cy" about location. "Cy" us for high class property in this center of wonderful development.

5-rm. semi house, well furnished, large lot, fruit, shrubbery, private water system. $4200. $650 cash, $35 per mo. and interest. Apply 353 W. 110TH ST.

$750 CASH, $40 MONTHLY,
WHICH INCLUDES INTEREST.
PRICE $4250.

5 rms., strictly modern bungalow Hdwood floors, bfast nook, large closets, large cement drive, garage. Rents $50. Lot 40x140. Restricted dist. Sidewalks, curbs, paved streets. Cash paid for CALMIN MTG. CORP., Owners. 6706 Central ave.

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Interior finished in walnut, exterior stucco. Large rooms. Must be seen to be appreciated. Considered to be the most beautiful double bungalow with the appearance of a single residence in the city. Can easily be rented for $165 month. 2923 SOMERSET DRIVE, just south of Adams. Take Adams car marked Glen Airy, get off at Victoria

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Elegant 4-room bungalow, $700 down, $30 per month. 1417 N. LOWELL AVE.

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FURNISHED HOME, REAL BUY—
5 rms., good location, finely furn. piano, Edison phonograph, and Ford sedan. These all go with home. Cash in city for $10,000. $5000 down, $70 month. Or $2397. Evenings call 61705.

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$3750 CASH.
1942 CHEREMOYA AVE.
North of Hollywood Blvd.
9-room bungalow, 6 bedrooms, 2 baths. Lot 60x150. Cash or terms to sell. Will sell furniture.
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REALTOR.
5856 Hollywood Blvd.

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2-story 6-room home, double garage. Lot 75x180. Value $16,000. Price $13,000. Terms. Lot alone worth this price. See DeMond.
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Colonial bung., 5 rms., sunroom, 2 bedrms., perfect in every detail. Landscaped front and rear, rose arbor, lot, east front, paved street, nr. Western. Santa car, stores and schools. $3500, only $3250 cash.
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UNRESTRICTED corner lot, 55 ft. frontage, Hollywood, near Santa Monica and Western. Ideal for small court or flat building. I must sacrifice this lot for cash. I cannot finance building. $5000 1033 MARVARD. Apply in rear. PHONE 434734.

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With house to valuable Vine street business corner. Lot 40x130. $3250 handles, balance $4750. Easy terms. Grab TOM WHITE REALTY CO., Exclusive Agents, 5844, Camerford ave. Tel. Holly 1363.

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$21,000, $25,000, $28,000, $50,000.
Terms. 505063. 4348 Hollywood Blvd. 505033.

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IRWIN'S CHRISTMAS SPECIALS
$4250 3 rooms, bungalow, frame. Easy for only $150 cash.
$6200—4 and 5-room homes, all modern conveniences. Terms.
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$9000—Only 2 years old, 4 and 5 rooms, hardwood floors, tile baths, fireplaces, garages. Terms like rent.
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$11,000 Two 5-room, tile bath and shower, 2 car garages, hardwood floors, fireplaces. Only $2500 cash.
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$100,000 to be sold by Dec. 25th.
See photographs of these and 5000 other homes and business properties.
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7-ROOM BUNGALOW
SACRIFICE
I must sell my 7-room bungalow, block from Los Feliz and Central, this week. Owner, 2155 Glendale Blvd.

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BUSINESS LOT.
Fine business lot, 250 feet from Hollywood Blvd., on Western Ave. Owner will sell at a price that is one week only at a price that is one-fifth of the big projects of the day. Full assurance of enhanced value in near future. Best of reasons for investment, with no other property at months. Mention No. 1.

GOOD BOULEVARD
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Fine for this location; a
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For Sale

FOOTHILL APARTMENTS
S. W. CORNER
SUNSET AND LA BREA
A busy transfer point in the near future.
Rare opportunity for shrewd investor to secure one of the finest potential business corners on Sunset Boulevard, sustained by good receipts from one of Hollywood's highest class business properties.

CASH INCOME	PRICE
$80,000 $21,000	$160,000

Price after December 25th, $200,000.
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HOLLY 0538.

4-UNIT COURT—
INCOME $2,350.
FULL PRICE, $20,000.
New stucco, 4 rooms each, tile bath and sink, just completed, near cars, stores, etc., and in wonderful rental section. $10,000 cash handles. This is the best court buy today. See Mr. Felgows or King.
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LOCALITY—QUALITY—CLASS
Beautiful stucco triplex flat. Strictly up to date. 4 rms. each side downstairs, 4 rms. upstairs. Large rms. Tile baths and kitchen sinks. Old ivory finish. Beautiful nooks, Ratcheier tile cabinets, linen closets. Hardware made buffets. High grade construction and finish. A wonderful home with income. Can be purchased this week for only $22,000. Reasonable terms. 835 N. RIDGEWOOD.

WILSHIRE TRIPLEX INCOME.
NET 14½ %. $15,750. $14½ % NET.
$2,350. TERMS.
Located near Western Ave. Fine double of 4 rooms each side, with tile baths; also a 3-rm. bungalow and bath in rear. All in fine condition. Lot 50x150. This is without a doubt a fine investment, and cannot be duplicated anywhere. Considering the location and income, this is an exceptional opportunity for someone. Requires good equity.
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4-FAMILY FLAT BARGAIN
4-family 3-4 rms. each, on corner, 3 garages, 2 driveways, 2 front each street. All large rooms, hardwood floors, wood stone sinks, built-in buffets, extra beds, good heating and built built building. Income now $215 per. Nets 15% on investment. Close in. Zoned for business. Vacant soon. Owner needs money. Only $16,500. $7,000 cash, balance $150 per month. REALTY CO., 714 STORY BLDG., 6th & Broadway. Phone 26-3974, or Hollywood Branch Nadeau Motor Bldg., 6441 Sunset Blvd. 572-16.

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Located in center of Hollywood one block from Hollywood Blvd., and Highland Ave. Income $4680. Price for immediate sale $31,500, half cash, balance easy. MR. REDIN.
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NEW STUCCO DOUBLE BUNGALOW
the
Wilshire
Price $13,000 for quick sale only. 8 rooms, tiled baths and up to the minute construction. Income $130 month. See this today.
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A GOOD DOUBLE BUNGALOW.
$12,000. Good Terms.
4 rooms each side, 2 bedrooms, tile bath, hardwood all 3 floors, built-in features; close to car. A good buy.
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2-story corner on wonderful uneartricted corner lot, just north of 6th near Western. Contains 7 rms. each side, 2 bdrms., 9 rooms, 3 bedrooms and 2 sleeping porches. Center entrance hall, extra large living room, fireplace, large dining room, beautiful built-in features, breakfast room and large kitchen. Lot 50x155, is cheap at $15,000. Owner will accept terms. $8500 will handle. Phone 486-474.

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PRICED TO SELL
CORNER FLAT
$21,000
CLOSE IN, NEAR WESTERN AVENUE.
BEAUTIFUL STUCCO FOUR-FAMILY FLAT; BUILT-IN FEATURES, LARGE ROOMS, HARDWOOD FLOORS, BIG BEDROOM, HARDWOOD FLOORS. BIG BASEMENT; EXTRA WELL CONSTRUCTED; UNDERPRICED, MUST SELL AT ONCE. PHONE METRO. 1548.

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Finest and most attractive location for best rental district. Maximum investment yield plus profit from protection in street improvements. Bungalows have 5 and 4 rms. with the NEW and UNIQUE OUTDOOR LIVING RMS with TILE FLOOR, FOUNTAIN and POOL. Only $7000 cash to handle. No agts. $220 So. Vermont.

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Owner a San Francisco man must have action; will sell at sacrifice or will take part cash and part in San Francisco property. This is a beautiful court of 4 rooms each, 5 garages; every high-class convenience in it. Near N. Vermont, showing fine income on secured lease. For particulars see
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4-flat, nets 25%.
4 large rooms, garage, large lot, worth $10,000. ½ blk. from best car line and school. Income $2520 yearly or $210 monthly. Price $20,000. Terms. Inc. Open Sunday.
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Beautiful new 4-family stucco flat of 5 rooms each, with 3-room bungalow in rear. Modern in every detail. Located in the heart of Wilshire. Big lot, 82x167. $40,000 cash will handle. Try to beat this price, then come and see it. Call Mr. Howland, J. N. JAGGERS REALTY CO., 3211 W. 6th st. Drexel 1504.

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2 double bungalows with garages on lot 50x150. Good income. Owner needs money. Must be sold. Underpriced at $20,000. Terms arranged.
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Large rooms, tiffany walls throughout, tile sink and bath, well built, good lawn and shrubs. Income $150 a mo. Near Melrose and Rossmore. Bargain at $13,000 with $4000 cash. Call at 1 Rossmore ave. Apt. 1521.
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Most attractive flat in the Wilshire district. Just completed and has not been occupied; priced to sell at $36,500. Can be financed. This is a real bargain and we will be glad to show it.
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$15,000. Cash, $5000. $15,000. Architecturally perfect, floor space cannot be improved. Close in. Best of construction the best, latest methods of heating, etc. This house is large, has lawn, grounds, lawn and shrubbery. Near L. A. High School. Excellent value. Absolutely OWNER. 291-3744.

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$11,500 full price for beautiful Wilshire district, double bungalow. Not many left at this price. One side leased one year. $4000 cash handles.
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Large rooms, tiffany walls throughout, tile sink and bath, well built, good lawn and shrubs. Income $150 a mo. Near Melrose and Rossmore. Bargain at $13,000 with $4000 cash. Call at 1 Rossmore ave. Apt. 1521.
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4-ROOM DOUBLE BUNGALOW—
Large rooms, tiffany walls throughout, tile sink and bath, well built, good lawn and shrubs. Income $150 a mo. Near Melrose and Rossmore. Bargain at $13,000 with $4000 cash. Call at 1 Rossmore ave. Apt. 1521.
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One-Act Play by Milne is Program Feature

BY K. G. ORMISTON

Cat whiskers were scratched around over the surface of crystals, vacuum tubes were lighted up, dials were rocked back and forth until 395 meters wavelength was found, and Radioland settled back and listened to the Sunday evening program broadcast from The Times studio by KHJ.

The program was presented through the courtesy of Florence Van Dyke, dramatic soprano, and the Community Broadcasters of Pasadena. The soprano has endeared herself to the audiences of KHJ through her many appearances, her voice being of the type that goes through the many transformations of mechanical and electrical energy and reproducing finally in the listener's ear with perfect fidelity—faithfully and accurately without the least distortion.

CONCERT BY TRIO

Her songs were sacred in nature, and given in a voice of clear, sweet tones with a depth of feeling. Olive Englund played the accompaniment with charming effect.

The Community of Broadcasters of Pasadena, in addition to a one-act playlet, presented the Sierra Trio and H. O. Strechhan, reader.

The Sierra Trio is a Pasadena organization and is composed of M. Daisy Thompson, 'cellist; Dorris H. Nott, violinist, and Frances F. Woods, pianist. The ensemble numbers included "Hungarian Dance," by Brahms, "Alpine Maiden," by Sabityky, and "By the Brook," by Boisdeffre, and were rendered with a pleasing and artistic interpretation, with splendid harmony and marked technical detail.

Instrumental solos were given by M. Daisy Thompson, 'cellist, who is also an accomplished soprano singer, and Dorris H. Nott, violinist. With Frances F. Woods at the Knabe, these artists entertained with enjoyable numbers, playing "Meditation," by Squire, and "Romance," by Svendsen, respectively.

PLAYLET PLEASES

Edward Murphey, basso, who is the manager of the Community of Broadcasters, offered a number of songs, with Thyra Ruhland at the piano. "Holy City," by Adams was especially well fitted to his deep resonant voice. "Drink to Me Only With Thine Eyes" and "All Through the Night" were given with equal success and registered splendidly. H. O. Strechhan entertained with a well given reading.

The one-act playlet was given by Thyra Ruhland, Percy Ubil and Edward Murphey. "The Camberley Triangle," by Milne, was the vehicle, and the presentation was highly commendable from every standpoint. When a Sunday evening goes by without the appearance of Mr. Murphey and his talented players, many inquiries are received by The Times radio department, as these playlets are thoroughly enjoyed by Radioland and constitute a feature of any broadcast which is anxiously awaited.

CANTATA GIVEN

The studio sermon in the morning was preached by the Rev. Edgar T. Coyner, pastor of the Evangelical Lutheran Church of the Epiphany. His address appears in part elsewhere in this issue of The Times.

Arthur Blakeley was heard in an organ recital preceding the complete morning service of the First Methodist Episcopal Church. A very forceful sermon was preached by Melvin P. Burns.

A second organ recital was broadcast in the evening between 7 and 7:30 o'clock, with Mr. Blakeley again at the console of the Ewart Watchorn Memorial organ.

A special program was broadcast by KHJ yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The Choral Society of the Seventh Day Adventists of Glendale presented the contata, "David, the Shepherd Boy," by Root. Seventy voices participated, under the able direction of Clarence H. Jones. The ten voices who took the leading roles in the contata were Mrs. Retta Nelson, Mrs. D. A. Ochs, Miss Rita Hartog, Miss Lillian Munson, Mrs. H. Maurer, Mrs. James E. Moore, Dr. C. A. Brandstater, A. V. Foester, A. E. P. Billington, C. M. Christy and H. F. Taylor. Mrs. Belle Johnson and Mrs. C. . Swartfager were the accompanists.

This feature broadcast was one particularly appropriate for the Yuletide season, and went out with splendid modulation and harmony.

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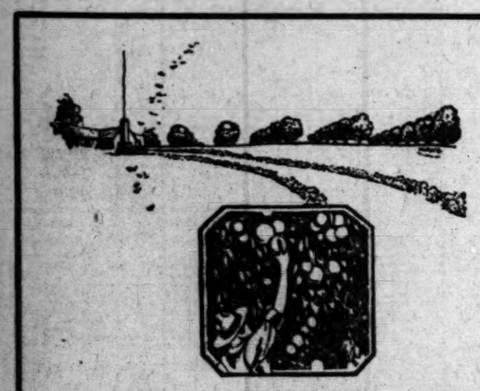

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JAIL CELLS SEQUEL TO GAY PARTY

Police Charge Two Pairs of Married Folk With Staging Roman Holiday

What is declared by police, to have been a night of revelry in the home of a young married couple in Pasaden, in which a Los Angeles married couple were guests, came to a sober end yesterday morning when the four were lodged in the Pasadena City Jail in default of $1100 bail on a variety of charges.

Those arrested were Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Hill of 1355 Orange avenue, Los Angeles, and Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Carroll of 2085 Kirkwood avenue, Pasadena.

Carroll and Mrs. Hill were declared by police to have been arrested at the Carroll home in Pasadena. They are held on a statutory charge. Hill and Mrs. Carroll were said to have been arrested while driving through the business section of Pasadena. Hill was charged with intoxication, reckless driving and transportation of liquor while his companion was charged with being drunk.

Police said they arrested Carroll and Mrs. Hill shortly after the other couple left the house.

COUNTY STORE STOCKING UP

Fifteen Carloads of Canned Goods Already on Way; To Be in Full Operation by February

With fifteen carloads of canned goods already on the way, the county store is expected soon to be in full operation, according to Storekeeper H. E. Russell. The store will occupy about two full floors in the county building at 205 New High street.

Provision for its organization was made several months ago by the Board of Supervisors, who at the same time appointed a Standardization Committee headed by County Auditor H. A. Payne. Supervisor Wright is in charge of the department.

It is estimated that an average reduction in costs of from 6 to 10 per cent will be effected through standardization methods and buying in large quantities. On some items this amounts to 20 per cent and even higher. The new county store is to act as a general distributing point to the eight branch county stores.

HUGE SAVING EFFECTED

Figuring conservatively, it is estimated that saving for the county of above $200,000 a year will be effected. Expenditures for the year ending June, 1922, totaled $3,541,000, and with the continued increase in county expenditures resulting from the unprecedented growth in population, the yearly saving might easily be placed at a much higher figure.

Expenditures for letterheads and groceries may be taken as examples of the economy effected through centralization in the county store. Hitherto, each of the county's forty-three departments have designed their own letterheads, and purchased in separate orders. More than 500,000 letterheads, or about two and one-half tons, are consumed yearly. The Standardization Committee has now designed a county letterhead which will be the same for all departments, except that the card of each department will be added. An order for 150,000 of these has already been placed.

BUY BY CARLOAD

Purchase orders for groceries, formerly filled separately through requisition from the Hospital, County Farm, Out-Door Relief, Olive View Sanitarium, the Jail, Detention Camp, El Retiro, and Juvenile Hall, will now be consolidated in a few big orders, submitted through the county store to the purchasing department. About 100 carloads of groceries have been used yearly by the county in the past. Through the county store enormous savings by purchasing in carload lots will be effected. Orders for two cars of sugar and four cars of potatoes have already been issued.

The store is expected to be in full operation by February 1.

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12:30 to 1:15 p.m. Program presented by Carlyle Stevenson and his Bon Ton Orchestra of Ocean Park, composed of Carlyle Stevenson, saxophone and leader; Jack Deeble, saxophone and clarinet; Victor Massie, saxophone and clarinet; Cushman Branch, violin; Bob Sawyer, pianist; Andrew Partridge, bass saxophone; Layton Guffin, trumpet; George Johnson, trombone; Gay Martin, banjo, and Buddy Johnson, drum and xylophone. Bobbie Toft, female baritone with Stevenson's Orchestra, will sing.
2:30 to 3:30 p.m. Silent.
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RUNAWAY TRUCK CASE UP

Council Hears Claim Today of Man Whose Property Was Damaged by Garbage Vehicle

When the Board of Public Works motorized its garbage-collection service and "fired" the fractious mules which had been stamping on automobiles and knocking down fronts of buildings, the board thought its troubles were over, so far as the collection of garbage was concerned, but not so.

Recently an irate citizen complained that a runaway garbage motor truck dashed down a hill and into the complainant's kitchen, and today the City Council will consider the hard luck tale and damage claim for $35 filed by citizen D. V. Granas of 1056 Grattan street.

Taxpayer Granas sets forth in his claim that a garbage truck on November 14, nipped off a small slice of the curb in front of his home at the northwest corner of Eleventh and Grattan street. Not satisfied with the job, the garbage truck, according to Mr. Granas, renewed on November 15, its attack and knocked off a much larger piece of the curb. This was hard luck enough, Mr. Granas though, but the worst was yet to come.

As the property owner was sadly viewing the damage, a'ong came a policeman in blue uniform and brass buttons and ordered Mr. Granas to repair the curb at once under threat of arrest if he did not get busy. Mr. Granas at once whirled into action and had the curb repaired, but the more he thought about it the madder he became, and so finally forwarded a damage claim to the city for the $35 he had paid for repairing the curb, which he said the city truck had bitten off.

HUNDREDS COME INTO PORT HERE

Two Added Lines Greatly Increase Influx by Sea of Passengers

Seven hundred and sixty passengers came into the port of Los Angeles yesterday on offshore passenger liners alone, setting a pace which steamship men declare will continue to increase during the year. Two newly added services, the Dollar Line's around-the-world fleet of seven fast passenger and freight steamers, and the express service to New York and Havana of the Panama-Pacific Line are greatly influencing the local growth of foreign passenger business.

The Pacific mail liner Ecuador, from New York, Havana and Central America, brought 225 passengers yesterday; the Jacob Luckenbach, arriving on the same run under the house flag of the Luckenbach line, had eighty-five cabin passengers, while late yesterday the 27,000-ton Manchuria, of the Panama-Pacific fleet, came in, bound for New York. She will sail for the East this morning with nearly 500 passengers.

The Rt. Hon. Hamilton Russell, British statesman, was an arrival from New York on the Ecuador, accompanied by his family and a large retinue of servants. He is on a tour of the world.

Other notable passengers disembarking here from the Ecuador were Orin W. Simons, cartoonist and illustrator of the New York Times; Mrs. Emma B. Fry, wife of Commodore A. B. Fry, U.S.N., and Harry S. Sharp, prominent in American shipping circles. Mr. Sharp, accompanied by his wife, is en route to Honolulu.

The Ecuador also brought 3000 tons of general cargo from the East Coast and a consignment of coffee, bananas, lignum vitae logs and sugar from Central American ports.

DESPONDENT GIRL TRIES TO END LIFE

Young Woman Found in Room With Head in Gas Oven; Throat Cut

The bright future promised by a college education failed to shine as brightly for Miss Betty Monahan, 23 years of age, after she left school and sought employment.

Despondent because of failure to obtain work, the young woman yesterday attempted to end her life in her apartment at 1855 South Hope street. She was discovered by the janitor of the building, her head thrust in the oven of a gas stove. She previously had slashed her throat with a razor.

The young woman was rushed to the Receiving Hospital, where she was treated by Police Surgeon Dunsmoor. She will recover.

According to friends of the young woman, she has been in Los Angeles for several weeks, coming here from Phoenix, Ariz., where she was a student in the State University. She had been unable to find work since coming here, it is said.

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HAS HAVEN IN "HOUSE OF NOISE"

Singer, Unable to Obtain Home to Practise in, Has Apartments Built

The "House of Noise" is located at 525 West Twentieth street.

Four months ago Miss Julienne Vaasa, Swedish vocalist, came here to make Los Angeles her home. For many weeks she made the rounds of the apartment houses in an attempt to secure a location where she could practice.

Julienne Vaasa

There were many apartments, she says, but none where she was permitted to practice singing.

In self-defense, and because she felt there were many others in the same circumstances, she organized the Vaasa Studio Club where any student of music could live and practice to the heart's content.

There are thirty studio-living apartments in the club and a tea-room will be opened shortly.

The opening reception was held last Saturday night and was largely attended.

Miss Vaasa, who is the manger of the club, is herself a student of voice. She acknowledges Sweden as her native land, whence she came to America several years ago.

It was while Miss Vaasa was in New York more than five years ago that Enrico Caruso made the caricature above. He presented it to her the day before Armistice Day in 1918.

Fire in Hold of Steamer Extinguished

Cargo fire was discovered in the No. 2 hold of the steamer American when she was a short distance out from the Panama Canal yesterday, according to a report received by wireless by the Federal Telegraph Company last night.

The fire was extinguished with little trouble by the crew of the ship, which will make Los Angeles Harbor with little loss of time. Slight damage to the cargo was the sole result of the fire, according to the report.

The steamer American is in the American-Hawaiian Steamship Company intercoastal service from New York to Los Angeles Harbor and San Francisco, due here the 19th inst. Her noon position was reported to be 1109 miles south of Los Angeles. She is under command of Capt. Howes.

All For Him

Tom (to college mate)—I say, Arthur, when that girl of your's made up she's a work of art.

Dick: Art for Art's sake, so to speak.—[Boston Transcript.

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